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JURY FREES BARTH, WHO SHOT MAN IN BACK ELECTION DAY

Lodging House Proprietor Was
Charged With Assault to
Kill H. J. Satchwell.

SELF-DEFENSE HIS PLEA

Shooting Was Taken as Proof of
Alleged Colonization for
Fraudulent Voting.

A jury, by a sealed verdict read this morning in Judge Cave's court, acquitted William Barth, proprietor of a lodging house at 124 North Third street, of the charge of assault to kill, made by Hubert J. Satchwell, whom Barth shot in the back on election day, Nov. 3 last. Barth convinced the jury that he shot Satchwell in self-defense.

Satchwell said at the time, and said in his testimony yesterday, that Barth shot him because, after living at the lodging house for several weeks without paying for his accommodations, he refused to cast a fraudulent ballot at Barth's request. He said Barth gave him the name of a voter in the Fifth Ward, First Precinct, and told him to go and vote on it, and that the shooting occurred when he refused.

The shooting was taken, at the time, as proving charges which had been made by John Schmoll, Republican city chairman, and denied by the Democratic party leaders, that a general colonization of fraudulent voters in "mushroom" lodging houses had been carried on for weeks before the election. Barth was indicted for attempted election fraud, as well as for the shooting, and the fraud charge is still pending.

Judge Cave's Opinion on Case.
The verdict was reached last night. Judge Cave, after reading it, said to a Post-Dispatch reporter, "If jurors would not convict on such evidence as was given in this case, I don't know what they would want." He said he did not consider it proper for a judge to administer a rebuke to a jury from the bench.

Emil J. Dienst, a leaf tobacco merchant, of 3633 Cleveland avenue, was chairman of the jury. He said the jury stood seven to five for acquittal on the first ballot, and five to one on later ballots. He said the jurors were agreed that, while shooting a man in the back was not ordinarily an act of self-defense, Barth had reason for thinking himself in danger from Satchwell, and therefore for shooting him.

Members of the jury were Charles A. Drumm, clerk, of 2306 North Tenth street; Harry Duckworth, shoe worker, 2301 Kimberly avenue; Oliver W. Ewing, cabinet maker, 4511 Linton street; William Quaker, retired, 5523 Botanical avenue; Wallace P. Hammond, clerk, 6157A Gambelton place; Samuel W. Harris, tobacco worker, 4097 Easton avenue; Harry Kratz, cigar maker, 1238 College avenue; Samuel A. Ludlow, clerk, 4524 Evans avenue; Albert E. Knies, shoe cutter, 3924 Forest Park boulevard; Louis Frank, tinner, 3124 Russell avenue, and Michael Cross, clerk, 2025 Penrose street.

The witnesses in Barth's behalf were James Quinn and Raoul Henault, two of his lodgers, both of whom are under indictment for fraudulent voting. They testified, as Barth did, that Satchwell, who had been drinking, went into Barth's wall-paper store, adjoining the lodging house, and cursed Barth. They said Barth went to the rear of the store and got his revolver, and shot at Satchwell, who was running away from him. Barth did not admit that Satchwell was running away, but said he "must have turned" just as Barth fired. Barth said he had been warned that Satchwell had said he would "get" him. Barth and his witnesses denied that anything was said about fraudulent voting. Satchwell is now living at 3611 North Spring avenue.

NEGRO VOTES REPUBLICAN TICKET "REGARDLESS," HE SAYS

Fined for Railway Trespass by Judge of Same Party, but Penalty Is Stayed.

William Moore, 23 years old, a negro living at the rear of 4157 Olive street, who was arrested yesterday by a watchman for trespassing in the Missouri Pacific Railroad yards, told Judge Hogan in Municipal Police Court today that he worked hard for a living as a city stable employee and that although he could neither read nor write he always "voted the Republican ticket regardless." Judge Hogan is a Republican.

The watchman testified he saw Moore throw coal from a stationary car to the ground and arrested him as he started to pick it up.
"Judge, dat man's wrong," interrupted Moore. "If I'd a ben atop dat car he'd a sure done shot me."
Moore explained he was merely passing through the yards on his way home. Judge Hogan fined him \$10 and costs and stayed the fine on good behavior.

Emperor William Gives Definition of "Kultur"

Likens Great War to Horse Race to Make His Point That
England Is Unsportsmanlike.

By Associated Press.

MUNICH, Germany, via London, Feb. 3.
THE Neueste Nachrichten has published an interview with Dr. Ludwig Ganghofer, the German author, in which is given a further account of the writer's visit to Emperor William at the Imperial Field Headquarters.

Dr. Ganghofer says: "I heard and saw an example of the Emperor's quiet patience with slanderous statements that should be instructive for us all. Remarks of such a nature embitter him, but even in his greatest excitement he never loses the mastery of his tongue. I heard him say in such a case: 'That is strong, but it is silly also. It is fortunate that truth always is wiser in the long run and it has longer legs.'"

"The knightly conduct of individual opponents in the field gladdens Emperor William," continues Dr. Ganghofer, "and rarely have I heard any man speak so justly and appreciatively of the good qualities, the courage and the accomplishments of the national enemies. Even against England I heard from the Emperor no unmeasured word spoken in anger. Every verdict he pronounces, severe as it sometimes is, is always within the bounds of supreme reserve. Nevertheless there is a slight but hardly noticeable vibration in His Majesty's voice when the subject is our Germanic cousins across the Channel."

"In a conversation with the representative of a neutral state, the Emperor said:
"You are a sportsman. When in a horse race the weaker animals gradually drop out and only

the two strongest are left, have you ever seen the jockey of the horse which threatens to fall behind strike with his whip at the jockey of the more ambitious and stronger animal?"

The man questioned shook his head. The Emperor continued: "Why does England strike at us? Why does she not rather strike at her own weakening horse?"

"Yet other words of the Emperor must be remembered," the Neueste Nachrichten quotes Dr. Ganghofer as saying, "on one occasion he made this remark:

"Many people who judge us Germans solely by outward polish and term us barbarians seem not to know that there is a great difference between civilization and 'kultur.' England certainly is a highly civilized nation. One notices this always in the drawing room, but to have 'kultur' means to possess deep conscience and high morale. My Germans have conscience and morale."

"When they say in other lands that it was my intention to found a world's empire, that is the funniest nonsense ever said about me. But in the morale, industry and conscience of the German people is to be found a conquering power that will open the world for them."

WARMER TONIGHT WITH RAIN PROBABLE; SOUTHERLY WINDS

THE TEMPERATURES.
8 a. m. 29 10 a. m. 30
5 a. m. 28 11 a. m. 32
9 a. m. 27 2 p. m. 33

FISHING WAS GOOD IN THE FOURTH WARD YESTERDAY.



Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: tonight and tomorrow, probably with rain; warmer; with the lowest temperature tonight above freezing point; increasing southerly winds.

Missouri—Unsettled weather tonight and tomorrow; probably light rain; warmer.
Illinois—Unsettled tonight and tomorrow; probably light snow or rain in north and rain in south portion; rising temperature.

BILL FOR MORE POLICE HERE TO BE SENT TO LEGISLATURE

Increase of 100 to 300 Patrolmen to Be Proposed in Board Measure.

A bill providing for the addition of 100 to 300 patrolmen to the police force will be sent to the Legislature by the Police Board, Chief of Police Young said today. The exact number of new policemen to be provided for in the bill has not been determined.

There are now 1400 patrolmen, including 200 probationary patrolmen, on the force. The latest increase in the force was made in 1907, when 300 patrolmen and 30 sergeants were added. As the three-patoon, or 8-hour system was introduced at that time, the change did not add to the number of policemen on duty at one time.

All police legislation was defeated at the 1913 session of the Legislature. A measure to increase police salaries has already been shelved at this session, and as no police measure is now pending, the Board decided that it would be an opportune time to ask for an increase of the force.

Chief Young said the increase was required to give proper police protection, in view of the upbuilding of new neighborhoods. At present, he said, beats in the West End are much longer than they should be, the longest being three miles. The formation of traffic and motor cycle squads, to meet the conditions caused by the automobile, have taken 60 men from regular duty, the Chief said.

Burglars Get \$100 in Jewelry.
Burglars ransacked the home of Harry G. Althen 3806 Connecticut street, in the absence of the family, yesterday afternoon, and stole jewelry valued at \$100.

SON OF SLINGSBY DECLARED HEIR TO BARONIAL ESTATE

English Court Finds Lieutenant's
Wife Did Not Substitute Child;
\$500,000 Was Involved.

SUIT BY HIS BROTHER

Succession Opposed on Ground
Baby Born in San Francisco
Died in Infancy.

LONDON, Feb. 3.—The Probate Court decided today that the son of Charles B. Slingsby is the legitimate heir to the \$500,000 baronial property of the Slingsby family in Yorkshire. The case has been before the courts for nearly two years.

Charles B. Slingsby, formerly a Lieutenant in the British navy and afterward a resident of San Francisco, is in possession of the property, which was devised to his offspring. When he asked the court to confirm the succession, a younger brother protested on the ground that the child was not a legitimate son but an infant substituted by the Lieutenant's wife when her own child died.

Since the case has been on trial evidence has been taken in California and records produced there to prove the child the legitimate son and heir of the Slingsbys.

Mrs. Slingsby was formerly Dorothy Warner, an American widow. The Judge said that after an exhaustive review of the evidence he had come to the conclusion that Mrs. Slingsby had given birth to this child on Sept. 1, 1910, in Market street, San Francisco, and that the statement that she had put forward another child was untrue and invented for the purpose of the case.

Doctor Was Acquitted on Charge of Falsifying Birth Certificate.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 3.—Lieut. Charles Henry Reynard Slingsby, formerly of the British navy, married an American girl, Dorothy Cutler Morgan. The couple lived for some years on the Pacific Coast, at times in Victoria, B. C., and at times in San Francisco. Teddy Slingsby, their son, today declared heir to the Slingsby fortune, was born here in the fall of 1910.

Three years later it became known that the birth certificate, filed with the State Board of Health at Sacramento, had been altered at the direction of the board to read: "Paul Colin, father; Lillian Anderson, mother." Lillian Anderson was said to be a high school girl.

At the same time there came into evidence an advertisement inserted in a San Francisco newspaper within a few days of the time of the birth and purporting to be in the handwriting of Mrs. Slingsby calling for a new-born male infant.

These disclosures led to the trial of Dr. W. W. Fraser of Wolverson, Cal. Mrs. Slingsby's physician, on a charge of having falsified a public record. His defense that a birth certificate is not a public document within the meaning of the penal code found favor and he was acquitted.

The case then shifted to the British courts, the though evidence continued to be taken here before the British Consul acting as a commission of the High Court of Chancery.

London White-washes Curbs and Poles.
LONDON, Feb. 3.—As a safeguard against accidents at night in the darkened streets, the authorities have begun white-washing all curbstones, poles and mail boxes in the outlying districts.

GREENFIELD TELLS OF PROFITS IN THE 'FAILING' BUSINESS

"Brains" of Alleged "Million-
Dollar Swindle" Gang Resumes
Stand in Trial.

7 STORES IN 8 MONTHS

They All Went Bankrupt He
Says; Deal Here Netted
\$28,000 in Merchandise.

The "business of failing," carried on by a class of "merchants" who found it more profitable to fail in business than to succeed, was explained before Judge Pollock in the Federal Court by Charles L. Greenfield, the Government's informer, who today occupied the witness stand for his third day's testimony in the trial of the so-called "million dollar" swindle gang, or "Bankruptcy Trust." Greenfield, who nine years ago was a fruit peddler, this afternoon admitted he was the "brains" and one of the ringleaders of the conspiracy.

One of the remarkable phases of the "business of failing," as shown by Greenfield, was the rapidity with which the swindle gang established stores in various cities, conducting them a few weeks or a few months, defrauding their creditors, and moving to another town to embark again in business for the specific purpose of failing.

Set Up 7 Stores in 8 Months.
Greenfield told how, with his partners, he had set up seven stores in six cities within eight months, and how all of them "failed," as had been intended. This chain of stores was the outgrowth of the Great Western Jobbing House, formerly at 509 North Broadway, which was established in October, 1912, and "failed" in June, 1913.

The "harvest" in St. Louis in seven months, Greenfield said, was between \$25,000 and \$30,000 worth of merchandise, for which the Great Western never paid a cent, and part of which they sold for \$1,000 in cash. He did not state what the "harvest" had been at any of the other stores, except to admit that when his concern failed for \$85,000 worth of merchandise from the trustee in bankruptcy, and subsequently started another store with this stock in Carlisle, Pa.

Tells How "Trust" Started.
On cross-examination, Greenfield was asked to tell how the so-called "Bankruptcy Trust" was conceived and organized. He said the first conversation about it took place in Carlisle, Pa., on the eve of the failure of his business there. In the conference with him, he said, were Sam Brown, Adolph Muscovitz (Brown's brother-in-law) and Meyer Rotman.

Brown and Rotman, he said, had been his partners in business at 235 Market street, Philadelphia, and when they failed there they concealed \$40,000 of merchandise from the bankruptcy trustee. They placed this merchandise in storage, and later removed it to Carlisle, where they opened another store with it. Some of this merchandise they sold at once to obtain cash to run the business.

Would Not Call It Stealing.
"You stole the goods with which you started in business at Carlisle," asked Daniel O. Hastings of Wilmington, Del., attorney for Brown and Jacob L. and Maurice Liebowitz.

"I wouldn't exactly call it that," the witness replied, repeating his explanation of concealing the merchandise.

The Carlisle store, Greenfield related, also failed. He came to St. Louis, and Brown and Rotman remained awhile in Carlisle to settle some affairs. In St. Louis, Greenfield testified, he met Muscovitz and together they arranged to start the Great Western Jobbing House. Later they were joined by Rotman and Brown.

Says Muscovitz Quit Business.
Muscovitz insisted on incorporating the business, thinking there was a chance to "run it on the square." Greenfield would not affirm, and Muscovitz quit the firm in January, 1913, two months after it had been started. Attorney Hastings pressed the witness for the details of why Muscovitz quit. "This wasn't a legitimate business in which you could remember everything that was done," Greenfield replied.

Shortly after, Greenfield said, he met Julius Steinhart, whom he had known about four years previously. He could not remember whether Steinhart lived in Atlantic City or Philadelphia. They talked over the business scheme, and Steinhart agreed to come in as a partner. Greenfield had been posing as "Milton B. Rosenberg," and conducting the Great Western Jobbing House under that name. Steinhart, too, assumed that name, and both, at the same time, posed as "Milton B. Rosenberg."

How They Divided Profits.
Greenfield, when asked how it was agreed to divide the profits, said they did not know, from day to day, whether they would be in business on the following day, so Brown, Steinhart and himself took \$40 a week salary and gave Rotman \$25 a week.

Rotman, he said, was not so valuable as the others. Several firemen were attempting to rescue the man with ladders, a member of another company of the department rescued him from a nearby window and dragged him to safety.

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"Brains" of Swindle Gang Who Turned Government Informer



CHARLES GREENFIELD.

FIRST MEASURE IN PROGRAM OF DRYS IS SENT TO HOUSE

Committee Makes Favorable Report on 9 O'Clock Closing Bill for Saloons.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 3.—With a favorable report by the House Criminal Jurisprudence Committee, this morning on a 9 o'clock closing bill for saloons, the first active step in the dry legislation was taken.

In anticipation of the favorable report dry members held a caucus to decide upon concerted action on the anti-saloon legislative program.

The saloon closing bill provides that saloons shall close at 9 p. m. and shall not open before 6 p. m.

The caucus discussed a plan to select several of the saloon bills and concentrate all efforts of the "drys" on these bills. A majority, however, favored pushing all bills and that plan was adopted.

Senator Moore of Barton County (D.), Representative James Kyle (R.) of Frank County, and Representative C. F. Dameron (D.) of Iron County were chosen as a steering committee to handle the dry bills.

Representative Frank H. Farris of Phelps County, recognized leader of the opposition, said today that after all the bills had been reported by the committee he expected to ask that a caucus of Democratic members be called to consider whether the dry bills should be made party measures.

Farris will make a fight against the enactment of the anti-saloon bills.

MAN LASSOED FROM HIGH LEDGE

DENVER, Colo., Feb. 3.—Two companies of firemen were called out early today to rescue W. A. Tracy from a fire-linch ledge skirting the seventh story of a downtown hotel. Tracy, who, according to the police, was crazed with drugs, had climbed out of a window and had crawled about 80 feet along the ledge when discovered.

While several firemen were attempting to rescue the man with ladders, a member of another company of the department lassoed him from a nearby window and dragged him to safety.

GERMANS WARN SHIPS, PREPARE FOR A BLOCKADE

Admiralty, Carrying Out
Announced Plan of Starving
England Out by Subma-
rine Raids, Tells Neutral
Vessels to Stay Away
From French Coast.

German Set Blazing Rafts
Afloat on River Near Ar-
ras, but the French Stop
Them Before They Ex-
plode.

Von Hindenburg's Forces
Occupy Village on Road to
Warsaw — Russians Ad-
vance in the Carpathians.

By Associated Press.

BERLIN, Feb. 3, by wireless to Sayville.—The warning issued yesterday by the Admiralty that an attempt will be made to sink British transports and advising neutral shipping to keep away from the north and west coasts of France is hailed by the Berlin press as the beginning of an actual blockade, to carry out, so far as the Germans can, the avowed intention of starving out England by submarine raids on merchant ships.

The Morgen Post takes this view, but points out, however, that many of the essentials of a blockade are lacking, among them being a definite description of boundaries and a warning that neutral ships must not enter the forbidden zone.

The entire German press prints the comments made by the English newspapers regarding the deeds of the German submarine boat U21, which Saturday made a raid on British steamers in the Irish Sea, torpedoing three of them and chasing five others.

PICK UP—

Violent Attacks on Both Fronts Cost Germans Heavily.

LONDON, Feb. 3.—Repossession of the Eastern and Western fronts of war dwell on the heavy losses which the Germans have suffered in their vigorous offensive operations of the last few days. The Germans have delivered a series of attacks on the allied lines in Flanders and France, always preceded by artillery activity, and while in almost every case they have won a temporary advantage, before the fighting was concluded the allies have regained the lost trenches and in some cases occupied German positions.

The German artillery has been subjecting the Belgian positions in Flanders to a severe bombardment, which suggests that the moment has arrived for another effort to get across the Yser and thence to the French coast ports. In return, the French have bombarded the railway station at Noyon, one of the German military centers behind their advanced lines.

More serious attacks, however, have been made against the Russian lines in Central Poland. Faced by flanking movements, both north and south, Polish Marshal Jan Hindenburg made a desperate effort, which apparently is to be renewed, to break through to Warsaw, and thus not only gain a great military and political advantage for Germany, but at the same time release the pressure on Hungary and East Prussia, in each of which regions the Russian troops are slowly pushing forward.

German War Shipping.
The French officially report an attempt to torpedo the British hospital ship Asturias. The German submarine U-21, which recently sank three steamers in the Irish Sea, has not been seen since Sunday. Traffic in the Irish Sea and English Channel, however, continues to be restricted, ship owners preferring for the present to keep in port all but the fast steamers, which it is believed, can elude the submarines.

The Germans, flushed with their success, have issued a warning that an attempt will be made to sink British transports and advise neutral shipping to keep away from the north and west coasts of France.

Reports reaching Holland say that the new broad regulations in Germany have caused so much unrest that 13,000 special Constables have been appointed to guard the bakeries in Berlin. It also is said that following the action of the Government in commandeering cereals, the military authorities are confiscating all utensils containing metals useful for their purposes. It is recognized that these are precautionary measures and are not due to any immediate shortage.

Panic in Constantinople.
Copenhagen, the newspapers of which still have correspondents at Constantinople, has a report that the Anglo-French fleet destroyed four of the Dardanelles forts and there is a panic in the Turkish capital, where the defeats suffered by the Turkish armies in the Caucasus and Azerbaijan are just becoming known.

With the opening of the British Parliament the political truce was renewed.

Especially Interesting ROTO-GRAM-VURE Pictures -IN-NEXT Sunday's Post-Dispatch

MANY CHARGES IN THE ROCK ISLAND \$7,500,000 SUITS

Ogden Mills Alleged to Have Authorized \$25,000 Political Corruption Fund.

FRISCO DEAL IS RECITED

Stockholders Ask for Return of Money Lost in Alleged Fraudulent Transactions.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—The suits against the Rock Island Railroad and its officers and its affiliated interests, which were filed in the Supreme Court yesterday, carry sensational charges.

In one suit it charged that Ogden Mills, as a director of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad, and the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad, turned over to the railroad the sum of \$25,000 to use "corruptly" in the presidential campaign of 1904, when Roosevelt was running against Parker.

Another action is brought against Daniel G. Reid, W. H. Moore, and other Rock Island directors to recover \$100,000 alleged to have been divided through an alleged fraudulent bond transaction.

The action in which the presidential campaign figures was filed by Sadie E. Hibben and other bondholders, and is against the Rock Island, the Central Trust Co., a trustee, and Mr. Mills individually as a director. Many charges besides those involving the alleged campaign fund are made. No other director is named in the complaint.

Money to Obtain Good Will. Concerning the campaign fund the complainants declare that Mr. Mills, in authorizing the payment of \$25,000 to Robert Mather, the road's chief counsel, did so "with the intention that he should use the same to contribute to the expenses of a political campaign then in progress in order to procure the good will of the officers of the United States and to induce them not to take proceedings against the directors of the Illinois company because of violations of the statutes of the United States in the state of Illinois and for other corrupt reasons."

There is no indication in the papers drawn by Roger Foster whether, as alleged, the money went into the campaign bag of the Democrats or Republicans.

The complaint begins by alleging that Mr. Mills in 1902 neglected his duties to the bondholders "by authorizing the payment out of the treasury of large sums in violation of law." The individual acts alleged are specified in great detail.

It is charged that Mr. Mills notified the sale to R. R. Cable of \$300,000 bonds of the Iowa company and \$300,000 in common stock of the Rock Island Co. of New Jersey, together with \$140,000 in preferred stock of the latter company for \$350,000, thereby causing a loss of \$200,000.

Large Losses Suffered. It is alleged that Mr. Mills ratified the sale of \$100,000 of the common stock of the Rock Island Co. of New Jersey and \$100,000 of the preferred stock worth \$225,000 to Mr. Mather for \$100,000, causing a loss of \$125,000. It is asserted that in 1904 he ratified the delivery by the Rock Island Co. of Illinois to L. F. Loree, now president of the Delaware & Hudson Railroad, of \$400,000 in bonds for no consideration whatever and approved vouchers to conceal the nature of the transactions.

Allegation is made that the director ratified the payment to S. A. Jackson, a bondholder, of \$100,000 of the common stock of the Rock Island Co. of New Jersey and \$100,000 of the preferred stock worth \$225,000 to Mr. Mather for \$100,000, causing a loss of \$125,000. It is asserted that in 1904 he ratified the delivery by the Rock Island Co. of Illinois to L. F. Loree, now president of the Delaware & Hudson Railroad, of \$400,000 in bonds for no consideration whatever and approved vouchers to conceal the nature of the transactions.

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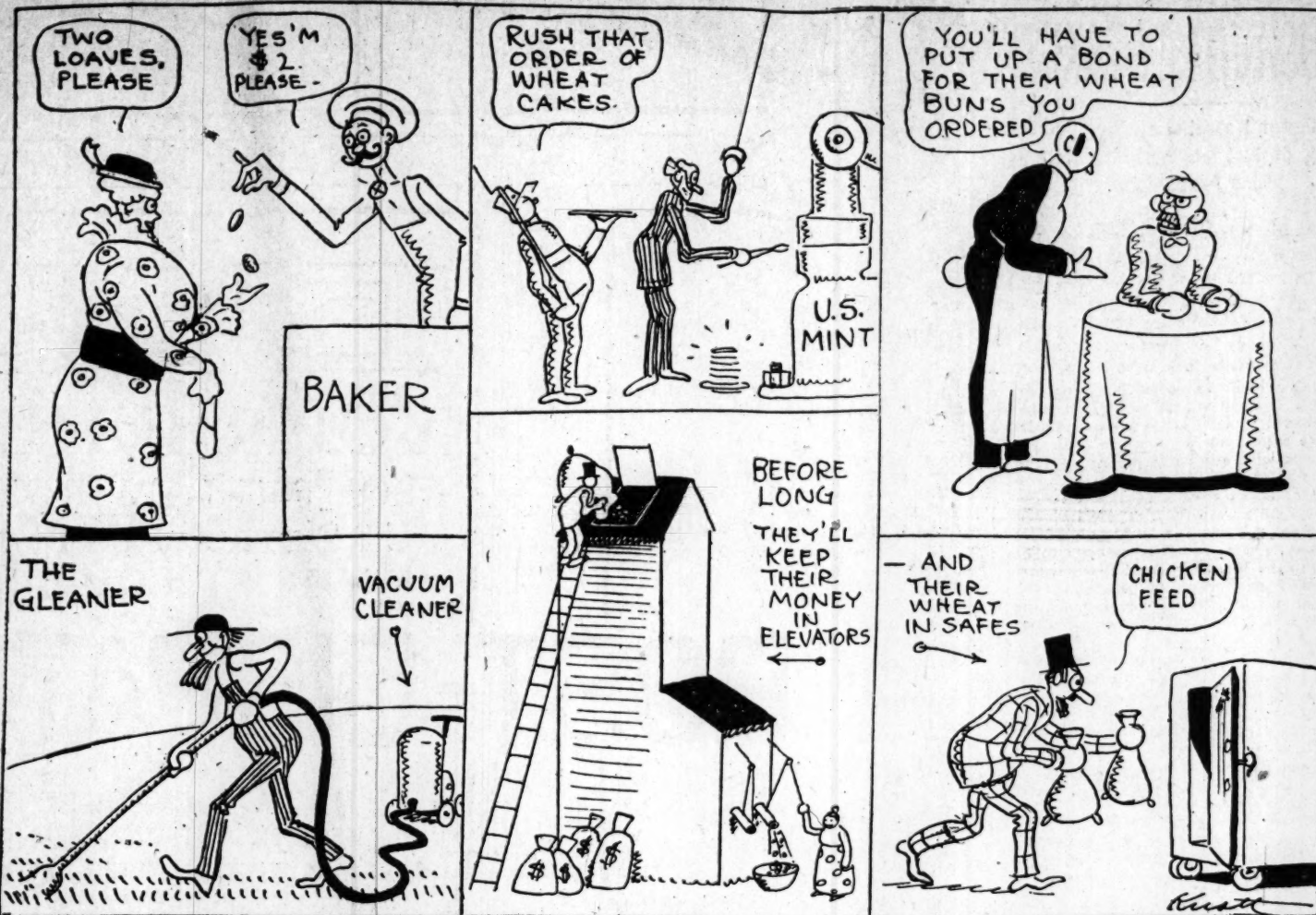
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Dollar-Sixty Wheat

Drawn by JEAN KNOTT for the Post-Dispatch



an attorney for the road, of \$100,000 for no consideration, and from 1904 until the present time he has ratified the payment to officers of large sums of money which they did not earn.

It is declared that Mr. Cable, as chairman of the Executive Committee, received from \$24,000 to \$23,000 annually, whereas his services in reality were worth but \$10,000 a year. W. B. Leeds, who at one time occupied the same position, received the same amounts, whereas he should, in the opinion of the plaintiffs, have been paid but \$15,000 a year.

The plaintiffs set forth that R. L. Winchell, as president, was worth \$15,000 a year, but got \$40,000, and that when B. F. Youkum was chairman of the Executive Committee, he was paid \$30,000, instead of \$10,000, the amount he should have received.

Callie Peitz's Services Worth Nothing. Mr. Loree's services are given as being worth \$25,000. He received, so the complaint says, \$47,500 annually.

It is charged that Daniel G. Reid's services to the company were worth nothing as chairman of the board of directors, for the reason that "he was a detestable and not a baker." It is pointed out that he was paid \$25,000 a year and that "an experienced railroad man could have been obtained for \$10,000."

H. G. Mudge, according to the complaint, received, as president of the Illinois company in 1911 and 1912, \$50,000 annually, and in 1913 and 1914 the sum of \$60,000. His real value is placed at \$10,000. Mr. Mather got \$35,000, whereas it is alleged he was worth \$10,000.

The plaintiffs ask that Mr. Mills be made to pay over to the bondholders all the losses sustained.

Mr. Mills referred reporters to Robert Walker, counsel for the Rock Island Railroad, who said that the Rock Island Railroad, owned three bonds of the Rock Island Illinois Co. and lives in West Fifty-eighth street. He said he obtained the information on which the action is based from testimony taken before the Interstate Commerce Commission.

"From this she is attempting to spell out a theory against Mr. Mills as a director," he explained. "We cannot foresee the result of litigation, but it appears to me that the theory is rather far fetched in her case."

The suit against Mr. Reid and the other directors is brought by N. E. Amster of Boston and nine others who own \$721,000 worth of stock, par value.

Frisco Deal Recited. The plaintiffs assert that "payments of \$7,314,000 and \$1,185,339 by the railway company and the pretended purchase of bonds by the railroad company were fraudulently accomplished by the individual defendants for the sole purpose of assisting the railroad to procure the necessary funds to make possible the disposition of Frisco stock." This is declared to constitute a fraud on the railroad company and its stockholders.

EXECUTION IS ASKED AGAINST MRS. LESCHINSKY FOR \$1600

Wife of "Count" Is Alleged to Owe Sum on Property She Recently Purchased.

A motion for a summary execution against the goods and chattels, automobiles, clothing jewelry and real estate of Mrs. Irene Sanford Leschinsky to secure \$1600 unpaid upon property she recently purchased, was filed today in the Circuit Court by Charles A. Neumann and Edward Goebel, counsel for former owners of the property. Mrs. Leschinsky formerly was Baroness von Schröder and her marriage to "Count" Leschinsky on Dec. 18 last came as a climax to a number of interesting episodes in which she or the "Count" had figured. They now are living at Hotel Jefferson.

According to the motion, the sale of a piece of property at 1425 North Fourteenth street was ordered after a suit in partition and on Nov. 21, 1914, C. W. Schaefer was appointed a special commissioner to dispose of the property to the highest bidder. It is asserted that the property was sold upon this date to Irene Sanford, with Leschinsky acting as her agent and paying \$100 down upon the auction price of \$1700.

The motion recites that on Nov. 27 the Court approved the sale and that at many times since the commissioner has tendered the deed to the purchaser, but she failed to accept it and pay the \$1600 due.

FORTUNE IN PAPER PROFITS LOST BY DROP IN WHEAT

2,000,000 Bushels Sold in Excited Market, Then Prices Rally After 7 1/4-Cent Dip.

A big fortune in paper profits was wiped out in May wheat on the Merchants' Exchange today, when the option dropped 7 1/4 cents a bushel in five minutes, as a result of the announcement that the British Government had declared all food products destined for Germany, Austria or Turkey would be regarded as contraband of war, and subject to seizure without compensation. A report that several of the Dardanelles forts had been reduced by the allied fleets and that shipments of wheat from Russia were imminent, added to the selling.

Wheat poured into the pit from all directions, and from an opening at \$1.27 the price dropped quickly to \$1.63. At times trade was so wild that it was impossible to follow quotations, and sales were made at changes of 1 to 1 1/2 cents without other bids or offers being considered. Traders estimated that over 2,000,000 bushels of long wheat were thrown over the break, in an effort to secure what profits were left, and to play safe against excessive losses. The market was more sensitive to the selling than is ordinarily the case, owing to the fact that prices had advanced 20 cents a bushel in the last two weeks, and yesterday went up 8 cents for the

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connection with elevator lines in the West and Northwest.

STOMACH SOUR AND FULL OF GAS? GOT INDIGESTION?—PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN.

"Really does" put bad stomachs in order—"really does" overcome indigestion, dyspepsia, gas, heartburn and sourness in five minutes—that just that—makes Pape's Diapepsin the largest selling stomach regulator in the world. If what you eat ferments into stubborn lumps, you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food and acid; head is dizzy and aches; breath foul; tongue coated; your insides filled with bile and indigestible waste, remember the moment Pape's Diapepsin comes in contact with the stomach all distress

vanishes. It's truly astonishing—almost marvelous, and the joy is its harmlessness. A large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin will give you a hundred dollars' worth of satisfaction, or your druggist hands you your money back. It's worth its weight in gold to men and women who can't get their stomachs regulated. It belongs in your home—should always be kept handy in case of a sick, sour, upset stomach during the day or at night. It's the quickest, surest and most harmless stomach doctor in the world.—ADV.

"FISH" M'ADAMS ELECTED A STATE REPRESENTATIVE

Democrat Defeats August Giesler in Third District by 535 Majority.

Felix E. ("Fish") McAdams, Democrat, yesterday defeated August Giesler, Republican, for election as representative for the Third District in the State Legislature to succeed the late Martin Ward. McAdams' majority was 535. The Fourth Ward alone piled up 822 of this majority. The Third District includes 16 precincts of the Fourth Ward, all of the Fifth and Sixth wards, five precincts of the Seventh, one precinct of the Sixteenth, five precincts of the Seventeenth and two precincts of the Eighteenth. McAdams had a majority in the Fourth, Fifth and Eighteenth wards.

PUBLICITY GIVEN TO SUITS CAUSES RUSH TO PAY TAXES

Collector Kassebaum Says Printing of Lists in Post-Dispatch Has Aided Him.

Collector August Kassebaum of St. Louis County today said the Post-Dispatch's publication of the names of defendants in delinquent tax suits had been responsible for the collection last week of about \$3,000 back taxes which otherwise would not have been paid until judgment in court had been obtained. Delinquent taxpayers, he said, are crowding his office to pay back taxes before suits against them are filed.

Kassebaum originally planned to file about 10,000 delinquent tax suits, for a total of about \$300,000 back taxes. Today 125 suits were filed. These included the final suits in the Kirkwood School District, left about 25 more suits to be filed in the Webster School District, and included delinquent taxpayers in the school district west of Clayton, on the Olive street road, which includes Elmwood Park.

Beginning tomorrow, the collector said, about 200 suits would be filed each day. These will include personal property tax suits, none of which as yet has been filed. Personal property suits will be filed with justices of the peace in various school districts, instead of in the Circuit Court. The costs, before service is obtained, will be \$1.90, instead of \$4, as in the Circuit Court. Yesterday 77 suits, for a total of \$248.40, were filed in the Webster School District, as follows:

Berold Realty Co., \$14.35; Celrose Real Estate and Investment Co., \$3.71; Edwards Tea and Spice Co., \$7.71; Empire Real Estate and Investment Co., \$14.35; Frain Realty Co., \$11.71; Goodenough Real Estate Building and Investment Co., \$2.71; Gretna Green Realty Co., \$12.11; Hachmann, Real Estate Co., \$30.35; Home Place Realty Co., \$28.37; Huthsing, Mary S., \$4.36; Iddings, Pamela, \$11.57; International Real Estate and Improvement Co., \$7.11; Jarvis, Hannah C., \$25.05; Johnson, Thomas F., \$14.96; Jones, Albert L., \$30.85; Kaiser, George V., \$4.50; Kinealy, William B., \$7.95; Kleiser, J. J., \$8.95; Knickmann, Lena, \$5.82; Knollmann, William, \$3.77; Knox, Frank Clint, \$4.99; Korhammer, Anthony, \$20.27; Korhammer, H. W., \$2.77; Krems, Herman J. Jr., \$4.30.

Lama, Louis, \$3.77; Lapsley, James J., \$41.80; Larkin, Fred M., \$2.47; Lewis, Sam F., \$13.84; Lewis, William A. Jr., \$31.17; Liberty, Beulah, \$5.77; Loomis, O. B., \$37.51; Lovell, George W., \$20.29; Lyman Realty and Inv. Co., \$30.70; Olsen Investment Co., \$33.04; Paroneri Realty Co., \$2.95; Quellmalz (Henry) Lumber Manufacturing Co., \$2.94; Ravenwood Realty Co., \$1 cents; Realty and Securities Co., \$17.54.

Shrewsbury Park Land and Imp. Co., \$20.72; Sidmouth Investment Co., \$3.87; Sisters of the Immaculate Conception, \$2.56; Star Construction Co., \$3.25; St. Louis Land and Building Association, \$1.22; Thaleman Printing Ink Co., \$6.25; Tuxedo Park Co., \$7.94; Verguene Realty and Inv. Co., \$10.68.

Waddock, Vincent E., \$18.66; Walkenhorst, Louis, \$3.77; Wall, Richard B., \$40.90; Wampler, Joseph A., \$62.83; Ward, Mary Louise N., \$42.94; Weber, Anna, \$2.97; Weinberger, Edward L., \$3.77; Wells, Amelia, \$45.45; Wells, Julia, \$21.10; Wesley, William, \$11.41; Wheeler, Beulah, \$3.35; Wheeler, Henry V., \$20.00; White, Arthur L., \$2.77; Whittemore, Alan P., \$140.93; Williams, J. E., \$51.76; Wilson, P. F., \$41.47; Wilson, Gus, \$2.46; Wilton, Gustav, \$15.41; Winchester, Matilda (now Howard), \$4.99; Webster Park Realty Co., \$32.63; Webster Groves Amusement Co., \$15.40; Wolverton, J. D., \$14.83; Wood, Loren M., \$71.92; Woodrow, Sarah, \$3.77; Woodson, Anna E., \$30.20; Woodson, Richard, \$7.70; Wright, George Lytle, \$14.18; Wright, Charles D., \$21.31; Webster Groves Realty and Construction Co., \$6.22; White, Alice M., \$7.91.

A ONE-MAN REVOLUTION:
"Work for yourself and a woman!"—Kipling wrote. Most men follow that creed, or try to. Rent payers, however, work for themselves, the woman—and the landlord. Sometimes this fact comes to them with such force that they revolt and stop working for the landlord. If you are ready to buy a home—at whose door a rent collector will be a stranger—let the Post-Dispatch Real Estate columns post you on where to buy and what to buy at the best figures. No better time than NOW!

Desperados Surrender When Trapped
CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Feb. 3.—Eastland Swafford, Sheriff of Walker, the two desperados who forced Sheriff Dyer of Bledsoe County, Tenn., to appeal to Gov. Tom G. Rye for militia, after they had killed Deputy Sheriff Wesley Drum and terrorized the town of Pikeville, surrendered to officers last night, after being surrounded in the Cumberland Mountains.

No Litigation After Death.
A large part of the litigation which keeps the courts busy is in connection with wills and disputes over estates of deceased persons. Our new monthly income policy overcomes litigation. Let me show you the best contract with disability clause with \$10,000,000 back of it. George W. Taylor, Dolph Building.

Church Society to Give Concert.
The Young People's Society of the Messiah Church will give a concert Friday evening at 8 o'clock at Straubinger's Hall, Grand and Shenandoah avenues. The second portion of the program consists of a two-act comedy entitled "A Perplexing Situation."

Balloons and Popcorn Free.
Indoor picnic at Dreamland tonight. Tug of war, races and souvenirs.

Working Women to Give Tacky Party.
The Father Dempsey's Workingwomen's Association will hold a tacky party at the Hi-Berrian Hall, Grand and Pine, on the evening of Feb. 11.

Boards and Walrus Hamstrung While you wait. Plums Co., 620 N. Broadway.

Thursday **Garland's** Tomorrow
CLEARING THE COAT
\$2.00 **\$4.00**
For Winter Coats—Formerly \$7.95 to \$10.00 For Winter Coats—Formerly \$12.00 and \$14.00

All our high-class Coats and Wraps at \$40.00, \$50.00, \$75.00 and \$100.00 were sold readily as in past seasons.

Here are Coats that in former years, when conditions were normal, would sell readily at two or three times these prices. But when the industrial "slump" came the people who buy the Popular-Priced Coats—the wage-earners—were hit hardest of all, and as a result we have several hundred Coats that we must cut down to give-away prices and "forget it."

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Chorists: Overshadow Beatrice Harrison, Cellist, and Mabel Rhead, Pianist.

PLAYGOERS' GUIDE.

Guy Ratt's Post in "Omar, the Tent-Maker," Shubert. A colorful Oriental drama of unusual merit, by Richard Walton Tully, presented by a strong company.

Chauncy Olcott in "The Heart of Faddy Whack," Olympic. A new Irish play, with some dainty new emerald songs.

"Help Wanted," American. Drama of business life, with a stenographer as heroine and employer as villain.

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Vaudeville, Hippodrome. Bernard & Harrington head bill.

"Auto Girls," Standard. Burlesque and vaudeville.

"Spillies of Youth," Gayety. Burlesque and vaudeville.

"Gay New Yorkers," Imperial. Burlesque and vaudeville.

"Dance and Prizings," photograph. Victoria. Benefit St. Louis Pythian Association Relief Fund.

The Apollo Club, in its concert at the Odeon last night attained a high mark of artistic achievement. Two excellent soloists appeared, Miss Beatrice Harrison, cellist, and Miss Mabel Rhead, pianist, but notwithstanding the general merit of their work, the club singers themselves earned title to the head-ones.

Of their numbers, the Dubois "Taran-tella" was easily supreme. The Apollo voices blended effectively and responded finely to the direction of Director Galloway, fully developing the possibilities of the spirited piece. The audience gave wholehearted applause, to which the club responded with Chadwick's "Margaretta," the favorite of a previous concert.

The club's first number was Gerick's "Awake, My Pretty Dreamer," sung with good effect. For its next number the club backed Nieslender's "O Mother Mine," and Paul Bliss' "Red-man's Death Chant." Both were rather somber in color. The first is an extraordinary study in pianissimo. The Indian song struck a tragic note. It began with a robust basso strain, the tenor carrying a rather weird theme through it, and reached a dramatic climax in the exultation of the singer over the powerlessness of his foe to break his spirit in the face of destruction. The boisterous demand for an encore brought forth something entirely different, yet no less well handled in Forschner's "Linden Tree." The final number was Dudley Buck's "Good Night," capably presented.

Miss Rhead's first number was the somewhat tiresome Bach-Liszt fantasia and fugue in G minor. She was far more pleasingly heard in her brilliant encore selection, Liszt's "Nightingale."

In her next number she bracketed the Mozart "Pastorale," Chopin's "Ballade," and Tausig's "Nachtflatter Caprice." The first proved a gem of exquisite coloring. The second was not so happy, and the third, while somewhat deficient in composition, was skillfully developed by the player.

Miss Harrison unquestionably pleased a rather critical audience in her two cello numbers. Her first number, Bocher's "Adagio and Allegro," gave abundant opportunity for demonstration of her mastery of her instrument. On her second appearance she played the stately and melodious Hugo Becker "Largo," the exotic Cesar Cui "Orientalis," and Hamilton Hart's fantastic "Butterflies." The "Orientalis" apparently pleased better than any of the other numbers, all of which, however, were cordially received.

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FORMER EAST ST. LOUIS NIGHT CHIEF IS ACCUSED

Two Men Charge John Barlow With Intoxication, Neglect of Duty and Unnecessary Use of Club.

C. H. Albertson and Lester Covert filed a complaint before the East St. Louis Board of Fire and Police Commissioners today against Patrolman John Barlow, formerly Night Chief of Police, charging him with intoxication, neglect of duty and unnecessary use of his night stick.

Albertson alleges that Barlow entered a saloon at 447 Collinsville avenue at 12:30 a. m. Wednesday morning, last week, and neglected to arrest the proprietor for keeping open after midnight. Covert alleges Barlow struck him on the head at 3 a. m. Sunday at the Labor Temple on Collinsville avenue.

Barlow says Albertson and Covert began throwing beer bottles at him and Covert tried to hit him on the head with one. It was then that he struck Covert.

Albertson, who is a nephew of James Kirk, editor of the East St. Louis Journal, preferred charges against Barlow four months ago and had him suspended for 30 days.

Prison Population, Factory Statistics, Etc.

Information on the economic subjects wanted every day by the well-informed man or woman is given in concise form in the 1915 World and Post-Dispatch Almanac and Encyclopedia.

On sale at the Post-Dispatch counter, 30c; by mail, 35c.

Bryan to Talk in Indianapolis. WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Secretary Bryan will depart tonight for Indianapolis, where, on Friday, he will address the Indiana Legislature, a banquet of Democratic editors and a Democratic mass meeting.

Toilet Goods moved to center of Main Floor.

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Entire Block—Sixth, Washington, Seventh and Lucas

Silverware moved to Sixth St. Side, Main Floor.

It Will Begin Friday—

When we say that it would not be fair to compare it with last year's

February Shoe Sale

You will know that it is certainly going to be a genuinely great sale.

Especially, since, for this year's February Shoe Sale, we made one of the luckiest captures on record—a special purchase of

15,000 Pairs of Walk-Overs (Rejects)—Men's and Women's

Hundreds and hundreds of these celebrated Shoes for women will be included in

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"Murray" is another great name in the footwear world that will figure prominently in this February Sale.

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Save One-Third and One-Half the Usual Prices on

Baby Garments and Caps



If you have not been here, you cannot well imagine the enthusiasm that prevailed among the mothers, aunts and grandmothers who made selections from these unrivaled lots of beautiful little Dresses, Skirts and Caps for the little ones.

Infants' and Children's Sample Garments

50c Sample Dresses and Skirts, 38c

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\$3.75 Sample Dresses and Skirts, \$2.50

\$5.50 Sample Dresses and Skirts, \$3.50

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Made of Mainstay muslin, with reinforced sides, worked buttonholes and finished with hemstitched hem, cluster tucks. Sizes 1 to 4 years, 8c; Sizes 6 to 10 yrs., 13c; 12 to 14 years, 17c.

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Also Nine special lots of Baby Bonnets, Caps and Hats—samples of latest Spring styles—at half price—sale prices ranging from 25c to \$3.98 (Second Floor.)

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Special for Thursday

Milk Chocolate Croquettes, special at 25c box
 Also combination of milk chocolate and pecans, 35c box
 Pecan-filled Dates, 19c lb. (Main Floor.)

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We offer our entire line of Flannelette House Dresses, including over 200 Dresses, in all sizes and in a large assortment of patterns.

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Choice, \$1

Elderdown Sacques, in grays and reds only. Fitted styles. Sizes 38 and 40. Regular \$1 garments, 50c

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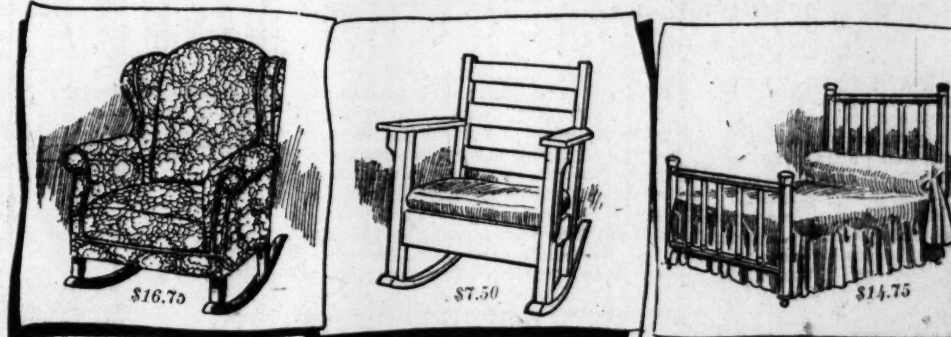
Sterling Players

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Player-Pianos of durability and quality at reasonable prices, which we are able to quote because of the large amount of purchases we make. The Lindeman and Sterling names can be found in many thousands of St. Louis homes. (Fourth Floor.)

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This store's plan of Extended Payments eliminates the hardship incidental to the purchase of a roomful or a homeful of furniture.

Here are three examples of extraordinary value-giving in the February Furniture Sale. There are scores—yes, hundreds of others just as good.

Living Room Rocker or Chair

Upholstered in genuine tan Spanish leather or tapestry,

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This includes the samples, discontinued patterns and odd pieces from our floor stocks, and there are nearly 1000 pieces of Furniture to select from at these discounts. (Sixth Floor.)

Small Lots Disclosed at Inventory

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No mail, C. O. D. or phone orders on lots in this column—quantities small.

\$2 Silk Stockings

Odd assortment of women's pure thread silk Stockings—absolutely first quality—medium and heavy weight—\$1 at pair. (Main Floor.)

\$1 Silk Stockings

A few odds and ends of women's colored and white silk Stockings—double heel soles, toes and heels, at pair. (Main Floor.)

Men's \$1 Gloves

White Evening Dress Gloves, Button clasps and stitched backs—large sizes only, a pair. (Main Floor.)

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Men's \$7.50 to \$10 silk Nightshirts and Pajamas, in white and colors, at \$3.85 various styles, at. (Main Floor.)

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A soft-finished, beautifully mercedized black cotton material—while the lot lasts, at yard. (Second Floor.)

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Rajah Silk Ratine (silk-and-cotton mixed) with a beautiful luster—comes in pearl white—while the lot lasts, yard. (Second Floor.)

\$5 Traveling Bags

A lot of twenty-one odd Bags, made of good grade leather, brass locks and bolts, choice, at. (Second Floor.)

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Twenty-one in all—and all in standard sizes, priced regularly \$1 to \$2, choice, while lot lasts, at. (Second Floor.)

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Metal, celluloid, colored bone, glass and colored crocheted Buttons, in an assortment of sizes and styles, at the dozen, 25c (Main Floor.)

\$1.50 Dress Trimming

A small lot of beaded, embroidered Bands and Appliques, light and dark colors—also Tinsel Bands and Edges, at yard, 50c (Main Floor.)

30c to 50c Knives

Genuine "Sabatier" Kitchen Knives, of best quality steel—several different sizes, choice, 10c (Fifth Floor.)

Kitchen Bowls

Yellow Earthen Bowls, sizes one, two and three quart—regularly 10c, 12c and 16c, choice, 5c (Fifth Floor.)

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Roman pearl, colored glass, also some Crocheted Buttons, in various styles, shapes and sizes, at Half Price (Main Floor.)



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"The nations now at war are sowing hate and will reap thorns for their own impalement. Though Peace stops the fighting it will be a mockery. That is sure." Is it worth the price? This European war was born of the hatred caused by earlier warfare—it will engender other wars between the same nations in the future. The sons yet unborn will carry this hatred in their blood to blaze into warfare when the spark is touched by Kings or Statesmen who are yet in infancy. It's bad blood that makes your liver sluggish and the same bad blood causes your stomach muscles to lose their elasticity and become flabby and weak and that means indigestion. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, purely vegetable and free from alcohol or narcotics, is not a secret remedy for all its ingredients are printed on wrapper. Take this temperance remedy as directed and it will search out impure and poisonous matter in the stomach,

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Leaves Kidneys in Weakened Condition

Doctors in all parts of the country have been kept busy with the epidemic of grip which has visited so many homes. The symptoms of grip this year are often very distressing and leave the system in a run-down condition, particularly the kidneys which seem to suffer most, as almost every victim complains of lame back and annoying symptoms which should not be neglected, as these danger signals often lead to dangerous kidney troubles. Druggists report a large sale on Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, which so many people say soon heals and strengthens the kidneys after an attack of grip. Swamp-Root is a great kidney, liver and bladder remedy, and, being an herbal compound, has a gentle healing effect on the kidneys, which is almost immediately noticed in most cases by those who try it. Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., offer to send a sample size bottle of Swamp-Root, on receipt of ten cents, to every sufferer who requests it. A trial will convince anyone who may be in need of it. Regular size bottles 50c., and \$1.00. For sale at all druggists. Be sure to mention this paper.

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POLITICIANS TRY TO SAVE PRISON SPOILS SYSTEM

Member of Senate Committee Says Major Appointees Are Lobbying Against Reforms.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 3.—Opposition to the advance plan of penitentiary reform recommended by the Senate committee, which made its report yesterday has already developed among professional politicians and appointees of Gov. Major, according to the statement of a member of the committee to a Post-Dispatch reporter yesterday.

The committee member stated that during the last few weeks, since an advance synopsis of the report was published in the Post-Dispatch, several regular feeders at the State penitentiary have been lobbying with members of the Legislature in an effort to discredit the report and save the penitentiary to the spoils of politics system.

Gov. Major refused to discuss the report for publication. The Governor's position has been known to several of his callers. He is opposed to nearly all the recommendations in the report, including the provision which would take the management of the prison out of the political spoils system and turn it over to a non-partisan board. He also opposes the plan to establish four small prison farms and will insist on his measure for one large farm.

With few exceptions for many years positions at the prison, have been dealt out by administrations as rewards for political services. The committee's recommendation is that the spoils system be abolished, and that the management of the prison be taken entirely out of politics. It urges that the management be placed in a nonpartisan board.

Committee Denounced System.
The committee was severe in its denunciation of the conduct of prisoners under the political spoils system. It said:

"The prisoner must work, but it should not be senseless or unreasonable labor; therefore those who have charge over him should be carefully trained men who will direct the convict mind, hand and heart, educating, if possible, to a better manhood, those to whom citizenship, temporarily denied, will again be granted."

The report attacks the Missouri Penitentiary in this statement:

"In other localities we find broader, more humane, more progressive views pertaining to the treatment of the offender, and the last decade has been marked by great changes in the penal system of many states, though Missouri is one of the few states remaining in the background of progress."

The report continues: "The prison or reformatory should not be made a dumping ground for professional politicians, a market for political spoils, a place in which to pay political debts. Appointees, guards and attendants who hold their places as political rewards cannot serve to mold human material in their charge into better beings, for under such management and guidance the prisoner when released is quite likely to be broken in spirit, dependent and hopelessly indifferent as to his future, or sullen, resentful, defiant and hardened toward all authority; in either case totally unfit to become a citizen and mingle in society."

"The State penitentiary, under the political system of many states, has too often become a crib out of which place-seekers eat, when it should be a salvage house for the repairing of humanity."

Favor Nonpartisan Board.

"While we are upon this subject, it might be of interest to the Legislature and the public to know that, in interviews with many leading prison officials of the country, when our plans for a reorganization of the Missouri penal system were discussed, and when they were asked if their services would be available in the event suggested changes were made, the unvarying reply was: 'Not unless the prison system were removed as far as possible from politics, for prison reform and real efficiency in prison management cannot be secured under selfish, hampering, political domination.'"

"The committee believes that a non-partisan, nonsectarian board, whose duties shall include those now involved upon the Board of Pardons and Paroles, should be appointed through some statutory provision, and that their terms of service should be at least six years, so that it may be a continuous body."

Opposition of politicians and job holders is understandable when it is realized that the prison affords employment for 130 persons at salaries ranging from \$1000 to \$2000 a year. The Warden and Deputy Warden are supplied with residences by the State and they have convict servants free.

Warden D. C. McClung was an active Major man when Major was a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor against William S. Cowherd. After Major became Governor he appointed McClung Warden. McClung also is chairman of the Democratic State Committee.

Opposed to Contract System.

The taking of the prison management out of politics and the placing of it in a nonpartisan board would give the positions to trained prison men instead of to politicians. The commission advocates that the contract labor system should be abolished immediately. The Governor in his message to the Legislature suggested that it be abolished gradually, contending that the cost to the State would be too great if the attempt to abolish it immediately was made.

The commission recommends that four small farms be purchased at a distance of about 75 miles from Jefferson City, and that 150 convicts be worked on each farm. The Governor favors one large farm in Callaway County, near Jefferson City.

The committee's entire plan urges the handling of the prison along advanced lines to endeavor to make convicts better citizens instead of solely for purpose of punishment.

TESTIMONY GIVEN OF PRICE FIXING ON SCHOOL CANDY

Independents at Trust Hearing Say Corn Products Company Controlled Glucose Market.

The prices of the cheaper grades of candy sold to school children, such as gumdrops and jelly beans, which are made chiefly of glucose, have been dictated by the Corn Products Refining Co., according to testimony given today before Special Examiner R. W. Phillips in the Federal Building. The company acts, witnesses stated, through the Novelty Candy Co.

The Government is taking evidence on the charge that the Corn Products Refining Co., with headquarters in Chicago, maintains a monopoly on interstate starch, glucose and table syrups. The St. Louis Sirup and Freezing Co., the National Starch Co., the Novelty Candy Co. and Penick & Ford of New Orleans are also named as defendants in the Government's suit, which was instituted in 1913.

Henry J. Mueller and F. M. Keller, members of the Mueller-Keller Candy Co. of St. Joseph, testified that all quotations on glucose were the same, and that all appeared to be made by the Corn Products Co. All independent manufacturers followed their quotations, the witnesses said. They heard that other firms were getting a reduction, and applied for a reduction, but it was not granted.

They said the Novelty Candy Co. made its prices so low that the witnesses had to make a higher grade of candy, and charge more for it, being unable to compete on the lower grades.

George E. Roche of the Douglas Candy Co. of St. Joseph, testified that the glucose market was controlled, and prices fixed, by the Corn Products Co. He said the Corn Products Co. could guarantee certain prices, but that their independent competitors could not do so.

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B. & O. Buys 25,000 Tons of Rails.
BALTIMORE, Feb. 3.—Contracts were placed yesterday by the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad for 25,000 tons of rails, closing options taken by the company a few weeks ago.

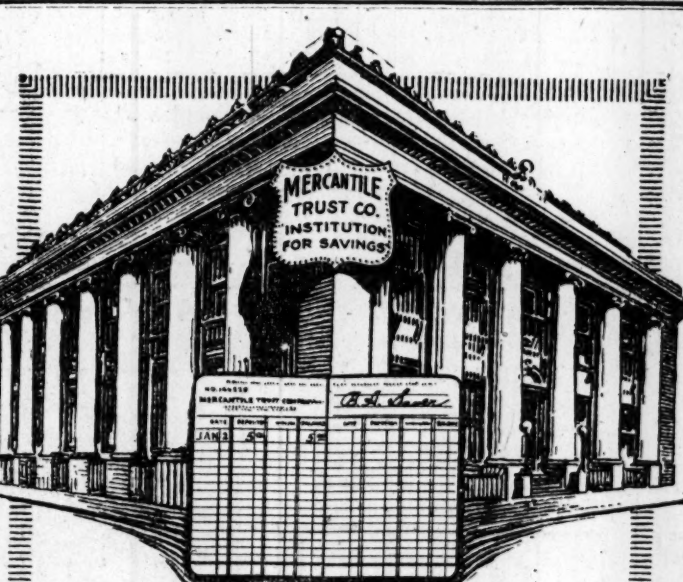
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The Suits in this lot are those which will be worn this Spring and Summer and include the new "Dickens" Suits. In the lot you will find "Oliver Twist," "Dombey," "Pickwick," Middy and "Balkan" Suits.

The materials are galatea, drills, Bedford cords and other imported and domestic cotton materials in patterns that will please and colors that are guaranteed absolutely fast.

As this is a sample line, you need not expect to find all sizes, but you will find sizes 2½ to 9 years in one or more of each style in the lot.

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First Floor.

New Silk Stockings
Women's full-fashioned silk-thread stockings with lisle top and sole, in new Spring shades, such as sand, castor, beige and Delaware peach, as well as the staple black, white and bronze. The pair **\$1**

First Floor.

New Laces for Spring
New Allover Shadow and Val. Laces in very pretty large and small floral designs. These laces are 40 inches wide and may be had in white or cream. The yard, **\$1.50 and \$2.25**

Dainty Sleeve and Neck Laces of Embroidered Net and Oriental, in silk and cotton effects. Choice of cream, ecru, Paris color and white; 3 to 5 inches wide. The yard **25c to \$1.00**

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We are exclusive agents in St. Louis for the book and materials of the Hughey Child Culture System—a system that will increase a child's powers of concentration and that will tend to make him healthier and happier.

In addition to the book, which explains this child culture system, we also have The Teacher's Outfit. The Student's Outfit.

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Every Woman Will Be Interested in This February Display and Sale of Aprons

Everything conceivable in the way of Aprons has been assembled here for our February display and sale, from the small and dainty Tea Aprons, Parlor Maid Aprons, Bretelle Aprons of every description, plain Band Aprons, Nurses' Aprons to the Bungalow Aprons, our stock is complete.

Bungalow Aprons—so necessary to the housewife as she looks forward to Spring cleaning—may be seen here in almost endless variety.

The Tunic Set Illustrated
The Tunic Set—as illustrated—is a combination of a petticoat, tunic and cap, and is made from black and white striped percale piped with Cadet blue. This makes a very trim outfit for the maid, as well as for the housewife who does her own work. The set **\$1.00**

Other Styles of Aprons
Percale Band Aprons—made with a small bib. Price **25c**
Bungalow Aprons—that envelop the entire figure—are made of gingham or figured percale. The percale Aprons are trimmed with blue piping. Price **50c**
Bungalow Aprons with caps to match, made of light percale with rick rack trimming. The Cap is priced at **10c** and Apron at **45c**

Percale Aprons which fasten at the side and have a Dutch neck are trimmed with rick rack. Price **75c**
White Lawn Tea Aprons. Prices **25c to \$2.75**
Parlor Maid Aprons. Prices **25c to \$3.50**
White Band Aprons. Prices **25c to \$1.50**
Bib and Bretelle Aprons. Prices **25c to \$3.75**
Nurses' Cambric Aprons. Prices **50c and 65c**
Black Satene Aprons, for store and office use. Prices **25c to 65c**

Maids' Caps and Bows at **5c to 35c**
Parlor Maid Sets, consisting of apron and collar and cuff bands. The set **75c to \$2.25**

Third Floor, Ninth Street.

Made YATO at Wife's Home.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 3.—John
Fridl, 34 years old, formerly of
Louis, ended his life with poison at

the apartments of his wife, Mrs. Stella
Fridl, 312 Oak street, yesterday. Fridl
and his wife had separated eight
months ago.

DON'T STAY GRAY! SAGE TEA WILL DARKEN YOUR HAIR JUST BEAUTIFULLY

A Mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur Prevents Dandruff
and Falling Hair—Comb or Brush it Through the Hair.

When you darken your hair with
Sage Tea and Sulphur no one can tell,
because it's done so naturally; so even-
ly. It is also splendid to remove dandruff,
cure itching scalp and stop fall-
ing hair.

brush with "Wyeth's Sage and Sul-
phur" and draw it through your hair,
taking one small strand at a time. Do
this at night and by morning all gray
hair disappears and after another ap-
plication or two becomes beautifully
darkened and more glossy and luxu-
riant than ever. You will also discov-
er dandruff is gone and hair has
stopped falling.

Preparing this mixture, though, at
home is a messy and troublesome task.
For about 50 cents a bottle you can
buy at any drug store the ready-to-
use tonic called, "Wyeth's Sage and
Sulphur Compound." Some druggists
put this mixture up themselves but
make it too sticky, so insist you want
"Wyeth's" then there will be no dis-
appointment.

You just dampen a sponge or soft

Gray, faded hair, though no disgrace,
is a sign of old age and as we all de-
sire a youthful and attractive ap-
pearance, get busy at once with Wyeth's
Sage and Sulphur and you'll look
years younger. Inquiry shows all phar-
macists in town here sell lots of it—
ADV.

Don't Drink and Never Use Word "If" Rules to Success, Jim Brady Says

Wear Fine Clothes "As I
Never Saw Anything That
Was Cheap That Was Any
Good," Declares "World's
Greatest Salesman" and
"First-Nighter."

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—"Don't drink
and never use the word 'if.' These are
the two principal rules for success in
life."

"Diamond Jim" Brady, known as "the
world's greatest salesman," "first night-
er," gem connoisseur, steel railway car
manufacturer and all-around philan-
thropist, voiced these opinions in an in-
terview printed here today. The win-
dows of his office at 170 Broadway look
out on Cedar street, where he lived and
played as a poor boy.

"I never drank nor used tobacco in
my life," said Brady. "Alcohol is the



JAMES BUCHANAN ("DIAMOND
JIM") BRADY.

greatest curse this or any other nation
has to contend with.

"When I began my career as a sales-
man it was generally predicted I would
be a failure because I did not drink. I
replied: 'I shall succeed because I
don't,' and I did. I belong to 14 clubs,
and I very rarely enter their doors.
Why? I don't play billiards nor pool,
and I have no time for alcohol."

"My diversions are the theaters; light
musical shows, where I can forget busi-
ness cares. I work very hard, and as
I have no family to afford me consol-
ation I seek it in the theater."

"Never Use If."
"The vocabulary of the man who is
a failure usually consists of the one
word 'if.' The man who wins is not
the one who vacillates, but the one who
takes a definite stand, who says 'yes' or
'no' as the occasion demands. He ac-
quires a reputation for immediate deci-
sion, which is not to be despised in this
age of rapid thinking and quick achieve-
ment."

"I never saw anything that was cheap
that was any good, whether it was man
or beast. When I was earning only \$40
a month I bought a necktie that cost
\$1.00. Many of my companions called
me extravagant, but my tie lasted much
longer than those which my associates
wore. The best is always the cheapest.
The rule must also apply to all your
actions and thoughts."

"The man who is not on the level
never wins. That is just as sure as
death. If you speak meanly about a
person you lose the confidence of your
fellows. Nobody will believe you and
your acts and motives are question-
ed."

"Many men fail because they think
they can hoodwink others. Nobody can
be fooled. Nobody has a monopoly on
brains and the chap who thinks he can
put one over gets caught eventually."

"Clothes are my hobby and I advise
everybody to wear as fine garments as
they can afford. Fine clothes get you
a hearing and that is frequently the
most necessary thing. Even office
boys are impressed by clothes, and
the word of an office boy has fre-
quently a most vital influence upon your
getting in to the inner office."

"But fine clothes must be backed
up with ability. All the clothes in the
world cannot save you if you cannot
deliver the goods."

"The feeling you are putting aside for
a 'rainy day' means much to your peace
of mind. The knowledge you will not
be forced to look to strangers in your
old age gives you strength and ambition
to add to your savings."

"To return to the subject of clothes,
it is only a matter of a short time until
we see colored dress suits the vogue in
New York. I have them in brown, blue,
gray, white and even purple. The lat-
ter I seldom wear, as it is, to say the
least, a little odd now."

"With colored dress suits will be worn
colored studs and cuff links, and all
jewels to match. The conventional pearls
will be worn only with the white suit."

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At Dreamland Bicycle races, favors,
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BOOK PUBLISHERS SUE PASTOR
The Rev. Ora Lee Price Sued to Owe
\$210 on Printing Bill.

Suit against the Rev. Ora Lee Price,
pastor of the Richmond Heights Pres-
byterian Church, for \$210 alleged to re-
main unpaid upon the charge for pub-
lishing two books, was filed before Jus-
tice Matthews in Clayton today by law-
yers representing the Methodist Book
Concern of Cincinnati. The suit al-
leges that the Rev. Mr. Price, who re-
sides at 737 La Veta avenue, on June
25, 1912, arranged with the book concern
to publish one book entitled "The Na-
ture of the Child" and one entitled
"Culture of Joy." The plaintiff alleges
that the price was to be \$738, of which
\$675 has been paid.

The Rev. Mr. Price says the suit is
due to the fact that he believes he was
overcharged and contests the bill.

It's always summer in the Arkansas
Hot Springs. The fashionable Hotel
Eastman is open; both American and
European plans.

Two Acquitted of Vile Fraud.
P-KEVILLE, Ky., Feb. 3.—Thomas
George and John Williams, the first two
men to be tried in the cases of 1100
charged with violating the State elec-
tion law, were acquitted yesterday.
Judge Robertson will hear the cases in
batches of 10.

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HUNDREDS are taking advantage of the price reductions available during this sale. All of the well known makes of pianos and player-pianos which we handle have been reduced from 10 to 40%, as well as a large lot of used instruments taken in exchange as part payment on new instruments.

Friday and Saturday there are an unusually choice lot of offerings which are well worth early investigation; the following are specimens:

Stool, Scarf, Tuning for One Year and Delivery Free With Each Piano.
With Each Player We Also Include \$15 Worth of Rolls.

Note These Remarkable Prices on Guaranteed Rebuilt Pianos

\$325 NEW ENGLAND; upright.....	(\$45)	\$45 to \$100
\$750 BRADBURY; upright.....	(\$55)	
\$450 ESTEY; upright.....	(\$57)	
\$375 KIMBALL; upright.....	(\$100)	
\$300 WILLARD; mahogany case.....	(\$110)	\$110 to \$205
\$400 JESSE FRENCH; mahogany.....	(\$162)	
\$350 SMITH & BARNES; mahogany.....	(\$165)	
\$400 BRAMBACH; oak case.....	(\$175)	
\$500 IVERS & POND; oak case.....	(\$175)	
\$450 STROHBER; walnut case.....	(\$185)	\$205
\$500 PULLMAN; mahogany.....	(\$205)	

Special Player-Pianos

These are guaranteed 88-note Player-Pianos of exceptionally fine musical possibilities. They are equal in every way to most player-pianos selling elsewhere at \$500 and upwards. The tone is rich and clear, the cabinet work is of the very best, and the player action is simply ideal for proper musical expression.

Special sale price.....

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1005 Olive Street

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is a reliable and successful remedy
for kidney and liver troubles. The
success has covered a period of 37
years, giving relief and remedy when
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pleasant to take, and is
sold by all druggists.

Two sizes, 50c and
\$1.00, at your drug-
gist, or direct, post-
paid on receipt of price.

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Warner's Safe Kidney and
Liver Remedy, Dept. 245,
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to an advantage and real estate at a
profit, use Post-Dispatch Want.

How To Safely Peel Your Face

If you wear an aged, discolored or
weather-beaten complexion, the most
sensible thing to do is to remove it—
rather than "patch" it over or "doctor" it
with cosmetics. The only way to really
remove the complexion—aside from re-
sorting to an expensive and painful
surgical operation—is by means of ordi-
nary marcelling wax. Spread the wax
over the face at night, as you would
cold cream; wash it off in the morning.
This gradually peels off the lifeless and
half-dead outer skin, in minute par-
ticles—gradually the fresh young skin
beneath beams forth. Chaps, freckles, blotches,
pimples—all surface defects due to
weather, ill-health or the ravages of
time, of course, disappear with the dis-
carded skin. And the druggist for an
ounce of marcelling wax; you won't need
more.

If you wear wrinkles or crowfeet, the
best thing to do is to bathe your face in
a harmless lotion made by dissolving an
ounce of powdered axolite in a half pint
of water. Nothing else will so surely
erase the unwelcome lines—ADV.

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DISPATCH REAL ESTATE ad will find
a buyer. Instruct your agent accord-
ingly.

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Portraits, groups and in-
teriors. Just as easy as
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raphy, free.

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GOOD-BYE RHEUMATISM,
BACKACHE, WEAK KIDNEYS

An unhealthy body, and the un-
pleasant and miserable which follow, may be
prevented by ordinary judgment and
care. Keep your stomach and kidneys in
shape and you will have good health.
The kidneys' work is to throw off the
poisonous matters which enter the body.
If they perform this work regularly and
automatically the other organs will take
care of themselves. Diseased conditions of the bladder or
kidneys are indicated by a frequent
abscess, that tired, worn-out feel-
ing, dizziness, nausea, backache, inflamed
rheumatism, pain in the abdomen, many

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are nature's danger signals to warn you
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may lead to fatal Bright's disease.
Don't wait until the danger is upon
you. Go to your druggist at once. Get
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pure, original Marmol Oil, the kind
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two capsules each day will keep you
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KROGER'S

BOY REBUKED FOR STAYING OUT LATE ENDS HIS LIFE

Vincent Gallagher, 17, Shooie himself, Leaves Note Saying "Forgive Me."

Vincent Gallagher, 17 years old, shot himself in the left breast and died almost immediately, last night, in the home of his married sister, Mrs. Mamie Humble of 3871A Theodora avenue, where he made his home.

Vincent's brother, James, 15, was

asleep in another room, but did not hear the shot and did not learn of his brother's death until almost two hours later, when Mrs. Humble and her husband returned from a visit to friends.

Vincent had appeared despondent after being mildly rebuked by Mrs. Humble for staying out until 2 o'clock last Sunday morning.

Before killing himself Vincent wrote the following undressed note, which was found by Mrs. Humble: "Feb. 2. Forgive me. Good-by. Vinc." The boy had been in poor health for several years.

NEW DEPARTMENT STORE WILL OPEN FOR SPRING TRADE

The Lindell, in Schaper Bros. Quarters Will Be Conducted on Cash Basis.

A new department store, the Lindell, at the southwest corner of Eighth street and Washington avenue, to be conducted on a cash, popular-price basis, will be opened in time for the spring trade. The new store will occupy the east half of Schaper Bros. former quarters.

John D. Davis, financial backer of the new enterprise, is head of the Lindell Real Estate Co., owners of the eight-story building. The Lindell Dry Goods Co., of which he is also the head, has taken a 15-year lease on the property. The dry goods company was incorporated yesterday, with a capitalization of \$200,000. Davis holds 19% of the 2000 shares of stock.

William Goyder, lately of London, who was formerly connected with Selfridge's, and who was general manager for Waring & Gillow, is vice-president and general manager.

George W. Russell, who until yesterday was connected with the Famous & Barr Co., will be merchandise manager. About 400 persons will be employed.

The stock will be new. The Lindell company bought the Schaper store fixtures at bankruptcy sale last Friday, but did not buy any part of the stock.

Women's and children's wearing apparel of every description will be the specialty of the Lindell store, according to Manager Goyder.

"Our purpose, he said, in announcing the plan for the new store, 'is to reach that large proportion of the people who have not large incomes, but who have as much refinement and good taste as those who are better off financially. Therefore, we shall not carry expensive goods. The talent we are employing will enable us to show goods which will satisfy those who have usually spent much larger sums on their wardrobes. Our aim will be to make the Lindell store a mart of economy for the mass of the people.'"

Society

FORMER GOVERNOR AND MRS. LON V. STEPHENS of 3338 Cabanne avenue are expecting Mrs. William H. Lyons of Buffalo, N. Y., to arrive tomorrow to visit them.

Miss Mildred Louise Hinde and William Bentley Lampert of San Diego, Cal., will be married this evening at 8:30 o'clock in the apartments of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. John Hinde, at the Buckingham Annex and will be witnessed by the nearest relatives and friends. The Rev. Arthur L. Odell, of the King's Highway Presbyterian Church will officiate. The bride will wear a robe of white lace. Her veil will be of tulle and she will carry a bouquet of white sweet peas and white violets. Miss Elizabeth Hinde of Chicago, the bride's cousin, will be the only attendant.

After a brief trip in Ohio, Mr. Lampert and his bride will go to San Diego to reside. Miss Hinde is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bistaff Hinde.

Miss Mary Willis of Baltimore, Md., is the guest of Miss Marguerite Tower, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Tower Jr. of 27 Vandeventer place.

Miss Margaret Drew of 3755 Lindell boulevard has gone to Los Angeles, Cal., to spend a month with her sister, Mrs. James H. Platt and Mr. Platt, who have been visiting her since Christmas. Miss Drew's marriage to H. Burgoyne Wilson will be one of the notable spring nuptial events.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bollman have taken possession of their new home at 6355 Waterman avenue, Parkview. They have sold their place at 3230 Russell avenue, which was one of the show places on the South Side and occupied a block of ground.

Miss Marie Bollman, who is at Miss Bennett's school in New York, will make her bow to society next winter.

Masquerade ball, Feb. 6, at Mrs. C. C. Hardcastle's dance studio, Hamilton and Maple; \$1 per couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel W. Fordyce Jr. have closed Hazelwood, their place at Kinloch, and have taken apartments at the Washington Hotel for the remainder of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman A. Steinwender Jr. of 4221 Lindell boulevard are entertaining Mrs. Robert E. Boyd of New York, who is on her way to California to spend the rest of the winter in Pasadena and San Francisco.

A number of affairs are being given for Mrs. Boyd, among them a bridge luncheon Friday, when Mrs. Edwin S. Fuller will be the hostess.

Miss Josephine Marie Broo, daughter of Mrs. Joseph Broo of 3011 South Compton avenue and Edward C. Moder of 233 Oregon avenue were married this morning at 9 o'clock at St. Wenzel's Church by the Rev. John Nekula. The two families were present at the ceremony and the bride's breakfast which followed. Miss Marie B. Moder was maid of honor and Miss Maggie Broo was bridesmaid. John Sueda was best man and Joseph Kleck's groomsmen. Mr. Moder and his bride will be at home, 3248 Nebraska avenue, after their bridal trip.

Miss Evelyn McGuire of 5181 Kingsbury boulevard and Miss Grace Jamison have gone to New York to visit friends for several weeks.

Miss Lucile Maney of Nashville, Tenn., who is visiting Miss Edith Jones of 5387 Vernon avenue, was the guest of honor at a box party given by Maxwell E. Ramsey at the Shubert last evening. The party included Miss Jones, Miss Mildred Mason, Miss Maney, William Yardley, Hale Jones and Mr. Ramsey.

Complete Line Valentines, Main Floor

Store Closes Daily at 5:30, Saturdays at 6

Hear the Victor Records for February

Discontinued Patterns Dinnerware at 1/2

48 & 100 pc. sets of Haviland & Co., Theobald, Haviland, Limoges French china, genuine Italian, Bavarian, Austrian & English china & American semi-porcelain china, regularly \$15.00 to \$150, at 1/2 price.

Basement Salesroom

Famous-Barr Co.

ENTIRE BLOCK, OLIVE, LOCUST, SIXTH AND SEVENTH STS.

Largest Distributors of Merchandise at We Give Bargain Stamps & Redem Full Books for \$2 in Cash or \$2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Are Excepted.

Sunshine Cake, 30c

Fresh from our sanitary, sun-light bakery hourly. Thursday, the well-known quality, instead of 40c, special for 30c. None delivered. Basement Salesroom

A Stirring February Sale of Dainty Undermuslins at 65c



Splendidly Made! Correct Styles! All of Sheer Quality Nainsook!

This occasion is one of vital interest to every woman. It involves a purchase lot of 4380 pieces of expertly made & daintily trimmed Undermuslins at such remarkable savings as will cause women to buy them in lots of 2, 3 & 6 of a kind. In the lot are—

GOWNS in slipover, "V" or high neck styles, lace & embroidery trimmed—

PETTICOATS, splendid fitting, lace & embroidery flounces & ribbon beadings—

PRINCESS SLIPS, lace & embroidery trimmed—

COMBINATIONS of corset cover & drawer—

CORSET COVERS, Val. lace & embroidery trimmed—

CHEMISE, long & envelope styles, lace & embroidery trimmed—

FRENCH CHEMISE, hand-embroidered & sewed, open fronts—

65c

All in this notable Thursday sale, priced for choice.....

Third Floor

Unrivalled Are Lots, Unequalled Selection in This St. Louis' Greatest Lace & Embroidery Sale

Hundreds of shrewd women are maturing Spring dress plans, others are anticipating future needs & supplying them while assortments are so good & such wonderful values are to be had as this event affords. Limited space prevents the publishing of the complete story of the irresistible offerings—any idea of the import of the sale can be gained from the following:

Exquisite Gold Lace Flouncings, yard, \$1.50.

Black Sequin Flouncings, yard, \$1 & \$2.

Double width Silk Shadow Lace Nets, \$1.

New All-over Lace Yokings, 50c & \$1.

Real Cluny Laces, yard, 25c, 50c & \$1.

25-yard wide wash Blonde Net, yard, 25c.

Black Silk Lace Bands, yard, 50c.

Lace Flouncings, 25c, 50c, 75c & \$1.

Embroidery Flouncings, 20c, 30c & 50c.

Corset Cover Embroideries, 20c & 30c.

Yokermidie & Val. Laces, 5c to 10c.

Hand Loom Embroideries, yard, 7 1/2c & 12 1/2c.

Main Floor, Aisle 4

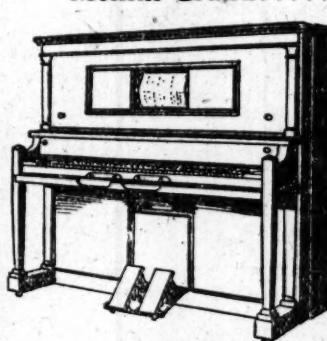
It's a Sale of More Than Ordinary Importance That Offers Knabe-Angelus Players 20% Off

These are peerless Player-Pianos—renowned the country over for their tone, mechanism, style & finish. It's an extremely rare instance that the opportunity is offered to obtain these 1914 models at this price reduction.

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\$1750 Knabe-Angelus Player, Grand, \$1400

\$800 Emerson-Angelus Players, \$640

\$1000 Knabe-Angelus (Upright), \$800

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Also included are new, second-hand & sample instruments, all guaranteed, including:

\$650 Lindeman-Angelus Player, \$525

\$750 Krakauer Player, \$625

\$850 Lindeman Player, \$675

\$50 to \$100 For Huntington, Sterling, Lindeman & Sons, Wagner, Colby & Cuneen, Leland & J. & C. Fischer Pianos.

EASY PAYMENTS ARRANGED

Sixth Floor

The Best Furniture to Be Had Is a Fourth Less in This February Furniture Sale

It is PRIMARILY a sale of GOOD FURNITURE. Every piece has been chosen as carefully as regular stock—CHARACTER is a first consideration in the selection—not a "sale" piece in the entire lot. The BEST CABINET WORK obtainable, STYLES that will live, FINISH that ever distinguishes "the good" in furniture.

All Our Regular Furniture Stock Is Included With Purchases From Leading Makers—Priced Without Restriction at Uniform Discount of 1/4 Off

Furniture for living room, dining room, library—for every room in the house, either period or modern designs, in every desired wood & finish is offered in almost unending selection.

Payment may be spread out over months, if desired. A very liberal system of credit is extended.

Fourth Floor

Basement Gallery After Stock-Taking Apparel Clearance

Women's & Misses' Coats, Suits & Dresses at Fraction of Original Worth

Women's \$2, \$2.50 & \$3 Sweaters at \$1

Practically the entire Basement Gallery stock is involved.

Sweater Coats of worsted, wool & angora, with high collars, some belted styles, shown in a complete selection of colors, sizes 34 to 44.

Children's \$1 & \$1.25 Sweaters, 55c

Belted or plain high neck styles, fancy knit, some with pockets, sizes 6 to 14 years.

\$12.75, \$15 & \$19.75 Suits, \$5

Women's & misses' long & medium coat styles, all-wool materials, good color range, guaranteed satin linings.

\$10 to \$12.75 Coats, \$4.90

Women's good styles, all sizes in one style or another, boucle, chinchilla & novelty materials.

\$5, \$7.50 & \$10 Coats, \$2.50

Misses', Juniors' & Small Women's All-wool materials, solid colors & novelty mixtures, all-wool materials.

Girls' \$5 Coats, \$1.75

Limited number, brown, blue & red, sizes 12 & 14 only.

Children's \$5 Coats, \$1.25

Just 20 Coats to sell, size 4 only.

\$7.50 to \$10 Dresses, \$3.90

40 Dresses, black china silk, sergio, also few crepe de chine—1 or 2 of kind.

\$5 Winter Coats, \$1

Misses' & small women's, 45 Coats in all, small sizes, 1 & 2 of a kind.

Basement Gallery

4000 Yds. Apron Gingham, 5c

Pure indigo dye, strictly tub proof, mill cuts 3 to 10 yards, blue & white checks & twiddles. (No mail or phone orders filled & not over 20 yards to customer.)

10c White Outing Flannels, 6c

27 inches wide, soft fleece, snow white, mill cuts 2 to 9 yards, same quality, while 2700 yards last.

Bleached Muslins, 5c

36 inches wide, bleached muslin, full pieces, only limited quantity to offer.

20c 42-in. Pillow Case, 10c

About 40 pieces, snow white, full 42 inches wide, for seamed sheets & cases.

Basement Gallery

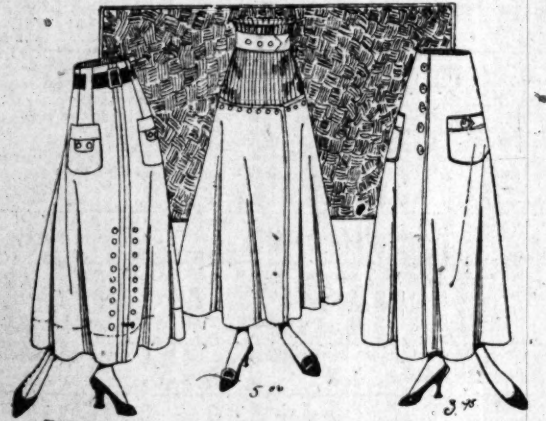
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A Special Thursday Sale of New Spring Skirts

MORE than thirty styles in Spring Skirts, made up of fine materials, are offered in this sale at savings of one-fourth and more.



Actual \$5, \$6 and \$7.50 Skirts at \$3.75 and \$5.00

THERE is an immense variety of the new Spring materials, including poplins, gabardines, basket weaves, French serges, broadcloths, English and Scotch tweeds, covers, etc.—in black, white, navy, brown and all the new shades—thirty distinct styles—all specially priced in order to promote early Spring business.

Reductions on All WINTER COATS

AN immense variety of fine Coats—values to \$22.50—on sale in two groups, at

\$6.50 and \$9.50

THERE are splendid Coats of corduroys, plushes, pompires, zibelines and broadcloths—elegant silk-lined garments—all sizes.

\$5 and \$6.95 Blouses, \$1.95



A CLEAN-UP sale of the present season's Waist stock, which brings to you the finest Blouses of lace, chiffon, satin and lace combinations, Georgette crepes and crepe de chine, as well as black lace over white chiffon—every wanted shade, including brown, green and navy—the sizes are broken—all priced.....

\$2.50

Odd lot of Petticoats—plain and fancy materials—\$2.95 values—on special sale at..... \$1.59

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

State Fire Insurance.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
We note that some of our lawmakers are still inclined to advocate State Fire Insurance. It is remarkable that the lesson learned less than two years since should be so soon forgotten.

It is not a question of whether we, in Missouri, think that the protection afforded by State Insurance would be safe and satisfactory. The practical question is what the rest of the world thinks about it; and there is no question but what the rest of the world knows that fire insurance, to be real insurance, must be at least nationwide, and even better, world-wide in its basis and distribution, to offer any security in times of conflagration, which times are the real tests of what is and what is not real insurance.

A farmer or a country merchant may think that a purely local company is large enough to pay for his barn or his store, but the wholesale house in New York, Chicago or St. Louis does not agree with him, and when there is any question regarding the insurance facilities in any particular State, the wholesale merchant immediately demands a list of the fire insurance policies carried; and if they are not in companies which can withstand conflagrations the merchant soon finds his credit seriously affected, the farmer finds that he cannot renew his mortgage.

Money is not available for new enterprises, and the building contractor and his employees are soon out of work. Money for farm and building loans, in Missouri, has been available at from five to six per cent; but there are some other states where sound insurance is discouraged, where the borrower pays 8 per cent. We in Missouri might as well pass a law prohibiting cars on our railroads from crossing the State line, and force them all to be reloaded, and think that we would not thereby decrease our freight rates, as to expect that we can get out of line with progressive states in the matter of insurance security, without increasing the interest rates which we will have to pay.

An abundant supply of fire and tornado insurance which can meet the largest conflagrations, in this State or elsewhere, and pay out 100 cents on the dollar, and still leave remaining policies here and elsewhere able to again pay 100 cents on the dollar, is intimately interwoven with the price which has to be paid for money or for commercial credit; and this situation affects the farmer and the residents of smaller towns just as quickly, and just as vitally, as it does the manufacturer or the wholesale merchant in the city.

There is no more certain way to get our loans called than to decrease the security which we have to offer, and there is no quicker way of decreasing this security than by making the insurance protection inferior to that which borrowers in other states can offer.

To "a Taxpayer."

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
If the party who wrote the letter: "Tax Reform Suggestions" in the Post-Dispatch on Jan. 10 will send his address to the Taxpayers' Protective Federation, 717-35 Century Building, he will receive a message of importance.

H. W. K.

Consumes the Smoke.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
If time hangs so heavy on the hands of our Board of Complaints that their secretary does nothing but yawn and stretch his limbs I would suggest:

First—That the Board take itself seriously.
Second—That the discouraging blanket of smoke covering St. Louis for almost a week be investigated.

Third—That a remedy such as the great clean city of Berlin, which burns soft coal, be applied here, viz.: Smoke, consumes that.

JOHN BURNS.

Don't Encourage War Spirit.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
There is a movement by some military inclined legislators to increase the future army and navy by putting a course of military training in our public schools. I hope every thoughtful man and woman in this enlightened land will about a protest against such legislation. Let us at least be consistent in teaching the youth.

Has a military training in Europe saved them from war? Is it not an acknowledged fact that these soldiers in our late Civil War, who came from quiet peaceful and without military training made the most exemplary and bravest soldiers? Can we reconcile such training with Christ's teachings of peace, in this a Christian land? Children are natural imitators and it is not just not right to the future generations to keep the war thought before them.

It seems to me that the women universally will see the need of downing such military tendencies and seek to find a true and lasting peace for these United States in a newer, more progressive, more Christian way.

M. P. GREENE.

MISSOURI PRISON REFORMS.

In other localities we find broader, more humane, more progressive views pertaining to the treatment of the offender, and the last decade has been marked by great changes in the penal system of many states, though Missouri is one of the few states remaining in the background of progress.

The report continues: "The prison or reformatory should not be made a dumping ground for professional politicians, a market for political spoils, a place in which to pay political debts. Appointees, guards and attendants who hold their places as political rewards cannot serve to mold human material in their charge into better beings, for under such management and guidance the prisoner when released is quite likely to be broken in spirit, dependent and hopelessly indifferent as to his future, or sullen, resentful, defiant and hardened toward all authority; in either case totally unfit to become a citizen and mingle in society."

The foregoing paragraphs from the report of the Senate committee, which investigated conditions in the State Penitentiary, justifies the Post-Dispatch campaign for Missouri prison reforms.

The use of these relics of prison barbarism, the lash and the ring, was admitted and justified by prison officials and inspectors. The conditions in the prison were shown to be unsanitary and intolerable. The abuses of the contract labor system were made clear.

Now a Senate committee, after thorough investigation indicts Missouri for maintaining conditions behind those of other states and for "remaining in the background of progress."

The committee denounces the spoils system in prisons and charges to it the failure of the management to accord proper and humane treatment to the inmates. It charges that the system wrecks the good in the men sent to the penitentiary and turns them into hopeless, resentful hardened criminals.

The recommendations of the committee are excellent. They include:

The abolition of the spoils system and the substitution of a nonpartisan, nonsectarian board of governors.

The abolition of the contract labor system.

Indeterminate sentences for all crimes except murder, treason and robbery, with a minimum and maximum sentence.

The maintenance of a separate intermediate or reformatory institution for juvenile offenders.

Improved hospital and sanitary methods.

A system by which prisoners can earn money for themselves and their dependents.

Complete separation of male and female prisoners.

Prison farms and the creation of a capital fund to finance prison facilities.

The electric chair with executions in the prison.

In short, the committee wants humane efficient management in place of spoils, inefficient management; reform instead of ruin for prisoners; health instead of disease; moral regeneration instead of vicious and criminal influences.

The responsibility for action rests with the State Legislature. Will it remove the reproach of bad management and inhuman medievalism in Missouri prisons?

SMOKE.

Say what you please, ours is a very interesting climate. It is mercurial—or is temperamental the better word for it? It would take the darling genius of an Edgar Allan Poe to describe the mourning aspects with which the heavenly ether has been smearing itself of late. You could cut the gloom with a knife, if you didn't mind soiling the knife. Or, is turning day into night only an inversion of gaiety? These black spells of weather, or whatever they are, are completely refute the slander that there is no night life on Broadway.

FOR AN AERIAL RESERVE.

Postmaster-General Burleson wants 1500 mail-carrying aeroplanes—not now or all in one appropriation, but to be provided by Congress in installments. It is his idea that over many mail routes the aeroplane can carry mail cheaper than any other vehicle. He would have the postoffice air corps, when perfected, constitute a military reserve.

This plan, being constructive, and forward-looking, will command more public approval than the Postmaster-General's other recommendation that the rural mail carriers be dismissed and their work be let out by contract.

The American people are going forward, not backward.

A MADE-IN-ST. LOUIS SHOW.

The object of the Made-in-St. Louis Exposition set for March 15 is to be emphasized. The prosperity of a city cannot, of course, be notably enhanced by trade among its own people. St. Louis, manufacturing and distributing center for a vast area of country, should be the last city to advance such an idea.

A special exhibit of the products of this vicinity can, however, assist in acquainting St. Louisans with the capabilities and resources of their own town and with the nature and excellence of its manufactured goods. In a competition on merit it can be helpful in substituting articles of high quality made in St. Louis for articles of equal or less quality made elsewhere. Promotion of the local sale of made-in-St. Louis goods on this principle is decidedly in the interest of both the consumer and the community, and is to be encouraged.

The March 15 show has, accordingly, marked possibilities of benefit. But the exhibit must be representative of St. Louis, if those possibilities are realized. That feature is up to the manufacturers of the city. They should see to it that the exposition of the multitudinous varieties of

St. Louis-made goods is complete, that it reveals the city at its best, that the displays have quality and desirability to commend them.

Wise planning along approved lines can make the show instructive and entertaining to the public and highly profitable to exhibitors.

LET MISSOURI LEAD.

Missouri's Legislature has a great opportunity in its hands at this session. It is the opportunity to make Missouri the leader of the states in halting the socially destructive drift of population off the farms into cities and towns.

Here is the means, and the only effective means, to lower the high cost of living.

Cost of living rises because population increases faster than food supply.

Americans are quitting, or refusing to go into the farming business, for the practical reason that it is on the whole less profitable than other businesses.

It is so chiefly because farmers have to pay far higher rates for working capital than men in other businesses.

When its credit resources are intelligently organized, it should get money cheaper than any other business, because its main asset, the land that produces food for all, is the foundation underlying all other property values.

No system framed to meet conditions in any other country is exactly suited for use here. But the central idea of all the systems now in use is applicable here. It is the idea whose development has within forty years transformed the German peasantry into a nation of small farm owners, giving them independence and enormously increasing German wealth. It is the idea with which the British Government has transformed Ireland within two decades from a peasant country into a country of small farm proprietors, making despair give way to hope, indifference to ambition, poverty to thrift and prosperity.

Col. Frederick D. Gardner of St. Louis, after two years' study of foreign farm credit systems, has roughly outlined a plan to meet Missouri conditions, and has submitted it to the Legislature to be considered and perfected.

This plan requires, as a first step, the adoption of a constitutional amendment in November, 1916.

That amendment will open the way for the legislature to create a State agency—a Missouri Land Bank—through which Missouri, without cost to anybody but the benefited persons, can help her landless farm laborers get title to farm homes, and her small farm owners to get cheap money with which to make their acres more productive.

It is an opportunity for statesmanship of the highest order.

We venture to hope the Legislature now in session at Jefferson City will see its full importance and take the first step by submitting the amendment.

WORK THAT COUNTS.

The testimonial luncheon to Richard S. Hawes of the Third National Bank in recognition of his efficient and valuable service as chairman of the members' conference of the Business Men's League emphasized the value of public service to the man who does it and the community for whose benefit it is done.

Efficiency and success in business or professional work are excellent. The qualities and the kindly services which command affection and gratification in private relations are admirable.

But the highest value and the greatest appreciation is attached to the work a man does for his fellow men, for the public welfare.

Public recognition of service of this kind is stimulating; it inspires more public work and better work; it feeds the flame of public spirit upon which progress depends. More than all, it arouses and keeps alive in the minds of men the appreciation of human values and the right thought that the best labor to which a man can devote his ability and energy is the service of mankind.

COLONELIZING COL. McNATT.

We have with us this afternoon Col. McNatt of Aurora, Mo., than whom, we affirm, Aurora has never had a more brilliant, distinguished and capable Borealis. Col. McNatt is going out to shed luster upon our Commonwealth as its representative to the Panama-Pacific International Exposition.

There, as host in the Missouri Building, he will beam hospitality to visitors and fellow Colonels from his native hearth, including, we hope, Col. Nutt and Col. Jodd, if the latter can leave off sampling local spirits frumment long enough to venture thither. Perhaps, to make it homelike and attractive to Col. Jodd and other Colonels and connoisseurs of like tastes, some rare old Missouri distillations will be included among the cordial welcome and good cheer proffered by Col. McNatt.

In colonizing Aurora's Borealis, who has never been on a Governor's staff, but only rejoiced in a modest Mister, we are pursuing the principle of noblesse oblige. Missouri owes it to herself to knight her servants. Nothing less than a Colonel to represent us in "Frisco" would comport with State pride.

MISSOURI FEEBLE-MINDED DEFECTIVES.

The needs of feeble-minded defectives in Missouri will be presented to the Legislature on Feb. 12 at 8 p. m. by Alexander Johnson of Vine-land, N. J., whose recent speech before the City Club of St. Louis made a decided impression. His address on "The Woman of Twenty with the Mind of Seven" will be illustrated with slide pictures.

The Missouri home for these unfortunates at Marshall was begun 15 years ago, but is only half completed. It has a capacity for less than 500 inmates, whereas accommodations for twice that many would not fully relieve the pressure for admission. It is estimated that several thousand of these defectives are growing up without training in improper surroundings in this State to swell the ranks of the incapables and the irresponsible criminals.

The problem is a very difficult one, but the Legislature cannot long neglect provision for it, at least to the extent of enlarging the State home.

Yes, the mill tax case which has just been appealed is the same old mill tax case. It has got so used to being appealed that it has taken an appeal itself, this time from force of habit, without the intervention of the lawyers.

UNEMPLOYED



THIN BROTH.

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH by Clark McAdams



MR. ANTWINE TELLS A STORY.

MR. ANTWINE read all about the wet and dry deadlock in the Illinois Legislature, and worked through the legislation proposed by the dry majority in Missouri.

"This dry business reminds me of a story I heard the other day," he said. "A drummer for a St. Louis shoe house got off a train out in Missouri at a town he hadn't made in a long time. He no more than got out on the platform than he began to notice the bow-legged men about. The station agent himself was so bow-legged he couldn't have stopped a pig in an alley. The baggage agent was so bow-legged his feet touched. There was a bow-legged stage driver waiting to take him to the hotel, a bow-legged marshal compared his countenance to three or four circles of offering rewards for fugitives from justice, and there were no less than ten bow-legged men sitting around the platform astride of barrels."

"The drummer felt dazed. He swept the circle three or four times to make sure he was not dreaming. Then he walked over to the agent. "What's the matter with this town? Is everybody here bow-legged?" he asked. "They ain't none of us bow-legged," the agent answered. "This is a dry town, and we're just warped."

The Joys of the Road.

Now the joys of the road are chiefly these:
A crimson touch on the hardwood trees;
A vagrant morning wide and blue,
In early fall, when the wind walks, too;
A shadowy highway cool and brown,
Alluring up and enticing down.
From rippled water to dappled swamps,
From purple glory to scarlet pomp;
The onward eye, the quiet will,
And the striding heart from hill to hill.
And idle noon, a bubbling spring,
The sea in the pine-tops murmuring.
A scrap of gossip at the ferry;
A comrade neither glum nor merry,
Aking nothing, revealing naught,
But misting his words from a fund of thought,
These are the joys of the open road,
For him who travels without a load.

BLISS CARMAN

G. Sprattie to the Rescue.

Dear Editor:
I see by the papers there is going to be a lot of girls of the marriageable age left without support when this Yurpupon fued is over. I thought maybe I could get in touch with one of them thru the columns of your paper—I got 240 akshers of fine land in 2 miles of town, a good disposition, 3 milk cows and the best mare in the state, but no wife, and another thing you can tell her it is aint likely we will have a war fur a long time here, she could ride the mare to town on nice days, and do patchin on others. now I aint a bit partickler about nashionally as I aint got any myself; I ancestors left me a lot of bill land and I leaced it to the standard, so you see some day we will

After the Hawks.

From the Kansas City Journal.
The Republican party hasn't exactly killed the fatted calf for the entertainment of its returning prodigal sons, but McDill McCormick is being treated very handsomely.

The Progress of Our Arms.

From the Indianapolis Star.
It would be interesting to have some one show how many civilians aviators would have to kill in order to conquer the armies in the trenches and the battalions on the sea.

Politics for H. K. T.

From the New York Sun.
When Harry K. Thaw was cheered on his way to New York, he probably made up his mind to run for office as soon as his other engagements would permit an appeal to the electorate.

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS.

Having no information bureau, we do not undertake to answer by mail or telephone.

DATES.

H. M. I. F. Martin Crawford, novelist, died of bronchial fever in Sorrento, Italy, Ap. 4, 1909, aged 54.

F. J. S. Partridge James Brady was shot to death by Harrison Duncan, a negro, in Charles Stark's saloon, on 1st and Locust, Jan. 1, 1915. Brady was shot at Clayton, July 17, 1894. "Jim" Brady was shot to death in the "Salvador Club" at 1:30 a. m. Fe. 9, 1915, while engaged in a revolver battle with Fatty Grimes and several other negroes.

F. & A. M.—Da. 5, 1915. Monday. Birthday Nov. 21 to Dec. 31. sign Sagittarius. Sagittarius people are prophetic; rarely make mistakes; mind own business; keep busy; careful in detail; enterprising, progressive, courageous in emergency, frequently timid in other cases; neat; careful in money matters, not penny-pinching; nearly always have money; variable; impetuous; blunt, outspoken; can't bear to see suffering; over-ambitious; quick to anger; combative; obstinate; too much in hurry; cruel when angry; despise licentiousness; women good housekeepers, wives and mothers.

HOUSEHOLD HELPS.
FOUND COOK.—Never-failing pie crust: For two ordinary sized pies, allow 1 pint pastry flour, half teaspoon salt, 1/4 pint cold water. Mix in salt, sift salt and flour together, then cut in the lard until the flour looks like meal; then add the water, mixing it lightly with finger tips. Divide pastry into four parts, roll out until 1/4 of an inch thick for the under crust and line the tin.

MRS. A. L. M.—Peanut butter: Roast peanuts carefully, strip off the skins, put through the meat grinder, and then moisten sufficiently with the best table oil to a thick paste. Mix in salt with the oil, being careful not to use much. Pack in glass or small open-mouthed bottles and exclude air. For pound it has more nutritive units than skim-milk cheese, bacon, cow butter, veal, beef, pea, potatoes, rye flour or rice.

MIM.—We know of nothing that will clean wall paper soiled by radiator. Perhaps wall paper cleaner, used in time, might be useful. Wall paper cleaner: Rye flour, any amount, according to surface to be cleaned. Put into earthenware bowl, gradually add common household ammonia, mixing thoroughly until of consistency of putty. Take big chunks of this and rub dirt from wall. When exposed surface is "chubby" and dirty, knead into center, and use just as you would use a dust cloth. i. e. throw away when too much soiled.

LAW POINTS.

ANXIOUS TO KNOW.—If your husband owes 3 creditors a total of \$500 they may force him into bankruptcy. Entire indebtedness must be not less than \$1000.

A. T.—As there is no law requiring a passenger to put his fare in a p-o-y box, he is not liable to prosecution for refusing to do so. However, if a disturbance results from such refusal, the passenger or conductor may be arrested for disturbing the peace.

N. J. L.—An election judge is not qualified to act in a precinct in which he has moved; neither is he subject to prosecution for moving. When he transfers his residence to another precinct he notifies the Election Commissioners and is dropped from the list of election officials.

X. Y. Z.—A will is the best way, and its contents need not be known to your children; nor would that to your bank account you desire to keep secret. It is not necessary that the children you do not favor be left out of the will mentioned in the will is all the law requires. In other words, that you had them in mind at the time.

LANDLORD.—Section 1313 of the Revised Code requires that the sidewalk in front of property occupied by the owner shall be kept free from snow by the owner. Where a building is occupied by several tenants, the tenant living nearest the ground shall keep the sidewalk free from snow. The City Attorney interprets this as holding the landlord, if an occupant, responsible for keeping the sidewalk free from snow.

CHARLES.—Chickens are not required by law to be fenced in; if your lawn is being ruined and for the moment get rid of them the best way you can by any means if they come upon your premises, which, however, does not include sidewalk. Last July, after neighbor's chickens had scratched her lawn and disturbed the chickens, the tenant, a woman notified the careless neighbor, but he saved the matter no attention. She then posted the chickens. The tenant waked him up, but on consulting the Circuit Attorney he found, to his astonishment, that the woman had a right to protect her property from chickens.

MISCELLANEOUS.

C. H. Z.—Largest army, Russia.

E. D. A.—Phone steamship offices.

BULLETS.—Phone Priester's Park.

M. K.—More U. S. men than women.

DEL.—First conductor of the State.

A. B.—50 people in Zell, Mo., on Illinois Southern Railroad; 70 miles.

LOLA.—Sherry would probably revive the desire for alcohol.

MINOR.—We know of no Junior Order of Free Masons in St. Louis.

K. A. M.—Phone A. G. Spaulding about your boy who can play the piano.

EAST SIDE.—St. Louis Butte, Res and Post Office Exchange, 312 N. M.

GOLE.—Talk with Brazilian Consul about railroad employment in South America.

RAYMOND.—Freight is prepaid on furniture shipment. Stoves and sewing machine must be crated.

G. E. D.—(Correction): Birth certificates are filed with the local Registrar, and by them sent to the State Registrar at Jefferson City. The State is divided into registration districts, and a local Registrar appointed for each district. There are nine such districts in St. Louis County. A copy of each certificate is kept by the local Registrar.

J. C. L.—The information given by W. A. W. was official. However, we give space to your statement that "in most sections of Wyoming, Idaho, Oregon and Washington, and particularly Montana, 20 acres of land can be homesteaded and 80 acres are taken, title can be secured by paying \$125 an acre after 14 months' continuous residence."

N. M. P.—Imitation ivory: 30 parts casein in 50 parts ammonia and 20 of water. Add quicklime 20 parts, acetate of alumina 10 parts, alum 50 parts, sulphate of lime 150 parts, oil 100 parts, mix in water. To make dark objects, substitute 75 to 100 parts tannin for the acetate of alumina. When mixture has been well kneaded and made into a smooth paste it is passed through rollers to form plates of the desired shape. These are dried and pressed into metallic molds previously heated, or they may be reduced to a very fine powder, which is introduced into heated molds and submitted to a strong pressure. The objects are afterward dipped into this bath: Water 100 parts, white glue 1 part, phosphoric acid 10 parts. Finally they are dried, polished and varnished with shellac.—Scientific American Cyclopaedia.

S. E.—In transfer process in lithography impressions from original stones are made with transfer ink containing practically the same ingredients as lithographic ink. Paper coated with stinging of starch and glycerin. The impressions are then laid in the press and are rolled up on sheets of paper and dried by indentations made with full point of laid down on a sand polished stone or metal plate, and repeatedly pulled through a heavy wheel until all ink has been transferred from impressions to stones or metal plate, paper being frequently introduced between original stones and metal plate. A weak solution of gum and water is applied, the stones are rolled up on sheets of paper and transfer is finally "stuck" in same manner as an original drawing to make it ready for printing.

Fisher and Caldwell Ought to Sully 'Angel' Ruppert With God 'Wings'

**SUBSIDIANIS
DUE HERE SUNDAY;
FORFEITS POSTED**

Eastern Lightweight Will Finish Training for Callahan Bout in St. Louis.

Kirkwood to Meet Coffey at Coliseum A. C. Show

GEORGE KIRKWOOD, the South Side featherweight, will meet "Kid" Coffey in the semi-final bout at the Coliseum, Feb. 11, it was announced this morning by Matchmaker Billy Westhus. Coffey was brought here on the recommendation of Mike Gibbons. The pair will weigh in at 125 pounds at 3 o'clock.

In the curtain raiser Jimmy Murphy and Leo Schneider will battle. Schneider is coming to the front in rapid stride among the 116 pounders and should give Murphy a hard go. Both contests are booked for eight rounds.

A four-round preliminary also may be scheduled by Westhus.

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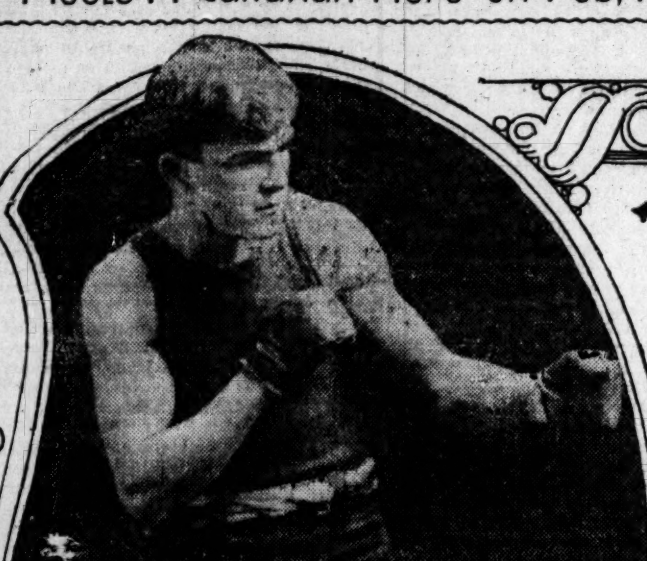
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BASKET BALL RESULTS.

Municipal League.
National Club 25, Commerce 8.
North St. Louis Turners 18, Crescent 4.
Keen Kutters 31, Scruggs 20.
Sunday School League.
First United Pres. 14, Compton Heights 10.
St. Paul's 24, Scruggs Memorial 14.
St. Paul Luth. forfeited to the Tyler's 1-0.
Harvey Heights League.
Team C, 28, Team A, 20.
Team B, 15, Team D, 11.
Other Games.
Olympic Turners 25, Central High 4.

The St. Louis University basketball team will play its first out-of-town games of the season Friday and Saturday nights, when the five goes to Cape Girardeau, Mo., and clashes in a pair of games with the Normal school quint.

The Billikens met the Cape team here several weeks ago, in the first contest of the season, and handed the teachers a severe lacing. Coach Keegan's performers landed a grand deal of late and the two games should prove little more than practice sessions.

Coach Keegan will take his eight men with him. The regulars, Hansel, McCormack, Elsworth, Althaus and Gieson, who played in the Washington ton game, and three substitutes yet to be chosen.

It has been announced that two more games have been placed on the Billiken schedule. Arrangements have been made to play the Warrensburg (Mo.) Normal at Warrensburg on the 6th and 8th of March. This team last year won Missouri State second year college championship and is at present being repeat.

Municipals Barely Beat Central

Last night's basketball game between the Central High and Olympic Turner boys, which the latter won, 25-24, in the last minute, may be used as a means of comparison between the scholastic and municipal leagues. The Turner's are one of the two best municipal five in the city. Central is favored to win the "prep" consolation. There is very little to choose between the two sides. The Turner's are composed of veterans and the high school teams of youngsters.

Coach Bob Thomas will send his Piker five through its last workout this afternoon before the maroon quint faces up against the Kansas Aggies in the first conference game of the season. The Piker will play against the Aggies at 7 o'clock.

The basketball team representing the First National Bank will play the Olympic Turner team in the first game of the season. The game will be played at 7 o'clock.

Coach Edmunds inaugurates Spring Football Practice in Washington Gymnasium.

Director of Athletics Bill Edmunds of Washington University did a little "rushing" act yesterday, when he assembled his Piker five in the gymnasium and sent them through the first practices of spring training.

"Big Bill" refuses to be caught napping next fall and has taken the jump on his opponents by starting his workouts several times a week until the weather conditions allow outdoor work.

In doing this, Edmunds thinks that he can build up a strong team for the fall. The workouts will continue until school closes in May.

The players are afraid to go through the workouts with their own hook for fear some of them will be thrown out later.

For your dignity and your fears, gentlemen, and get together for five minutes. The operation can be completed in a matter of minutes. It is time—and painless, too.

Can You Beat It?

A WELL-ADVERTISED Eastern tipster of horse races congratulated himself in about six columns the other day, because he "led the country" in the number of winning selections he had called. He gave numbers in 871 starts, average odds 6 to 5.

In other words, at \$10 wager per race, the banker of the tipster would have escaped with the modest bank account loss of \$27201.

The operation of phlebotomy of the bank roll may more slowly be performed by making a bet on a horse than by the pickpocket; but it has a higher average for certainty. You can count your get back your money from the "dip."

And yet they'll be downtown waiting for tomorrow's racing "dope" before the news stands are open.

Was He White Washed?

"You can't touch pitch without being defiled," remarked the reformer to the gambler.

"No; and you can't play poker without being 'cleaned,'" was the comeback.

National Track Meet Arranged for Y. M. C. A.'s

According to A. A. McLoughlan, physical director of the local Central Y. M. C. A., arrangements are being completed for an indoor athletic meet, in which athletes of Young Men's Christian Associations in every section of the country will compete.

The event is to be held under the direction of the International Y. M. C. A. of North America. It is planned to hold the meet, which is to be called the haxathion athletic contest, during the second and third weeks of March.

The events will be held in the various cities simultaneously. The results will be forwarded to the international committees which will determine the competitive results and announce the winners.

McLoughlan announced that the local division of the Y. M. C. A. would enter the event and that the athletes are now training for the contests. Since the early fall the local athletes have had weekly competitions in the various events and quite a number of good marks have been made. McLoughlan will enter a large number in the championships.

Frank Browning, a pitcher for the Atlanta club in the Southern League, has signed his contract for the 1915 season. Browning was one of Smith's mainstays on the hill last season.

Eddie Murphy, outfielder for the Athletics, was caught off base last night.

The Passing Show.

JACK JOHNSON thought in Mexico He had a big banana; But down there in the Barbadoes He's stymied by Carranza. The U. S. Marshals are deployed Along the Rio Grande; Outside of that the coming spat Progresses fine and dandy.

THE New York Yanks, the coming year, Will do some record bustin'. Hurrah for Col. Ruppert and his Three routing cheers for Huston! Perhaps 'twill change the Yankees To call them "Knickerbockers;" And, should they bag The A. L. flag, 'Twould silence all the knickers.

A "NUT" in Chattanooga, Tenn., To pray for Col. Hedges' men And squelch the opposition; He says by constant praying, mind Will triumph over matter; But much he prefers A good 300 batter.

Play It Safe.

THE backbone of winter is broken; The groundhog has given a token; Full soon we can sing of the flowers in spring And the crocus will shortly be croakin'.

But with all due respect to the wood-chuck, Which supposedly brought us such good luck, That the north wind will blow, We'll wager one perfectly good buck.

Sign Him!

JOSH DEVORE has been given his unconditional release by Boston. As Josh invariably lines up with a world's championship, it is suggested that Huggins sign him in a pinch.

President Barrow announces that the International League may be reduced to six clubs. Why not split it 50-50 and let each league have half a league, half a league onward?

On to Richmond!

Mike Mitchell, who has been going the rounds of the National and American leagues for a number of years, has been sold by Washington to Richmond. Mitchell's career has been going in a general southerly direction for the past couple of years.

GEORGE WHITTED objects to going from the Braves to the Phillies. George doesn't believe in sudden drops. If fate decrees that he must go to Philadelphia, he would prefer to make the journey by easy stages.

Just to show that he is a regular baseball guy, Capt. T. J. Huston, part proprietor of the Yanks, will go to Cuba and try to line up Armando Marsans to pitch for them. Huston is a regular baseball guy and you've as much right to take a gun in the game as any of 'em.

A Dark Horse of Another Color.

Some of the experts are predicting that Jess Willard may prove a dark horse in his battle with Jack Johnson. However, it must not be forgotten that Jess is a regular champion and that he is a regular champion.

A game of checkers by mail which was started last February has just been completed. Must have taken a leaf out of the game of checkers, but it was a game of checkers.

We hold no brief for either side in this married vs. unmarried men's efficiency contest, but can't help but feel that, in addition to supporting a large family, a man is called upon to support a large family of bush-league pitchers he will break under the strain sooner than the man who can give his larger support to the team of the foremost of the aforesaid flock of b. l. p's.

Federal League Develops J. Tobin From Semi-Pro to \$4000 Player

Terriers' Right Fielder in One Year Attains Major League Caliber and Salary.

THAT the Federal League is really making good its statement that it would do the ballplayers a good turn by making a field for them of good players is borne out in the case of Outfielder Johnny Tobin of the St. Louis Terriers.

When Tobin joined the Terriers his only baseball experience was as a semi-pro. He is now a professional player, playing with nearby teams. In one season he has earned a \$4000 a year contract which has two years to run.

Tobin is just about the only "native born son" who is playing regularly with one of the local outfits.

Fields, Jones, boss of the Terriers, is relying upon Tobin as the regular right fielder for the club the coming campaign, with Ward Miller and Armando Marsans in the other positions. This means that Drake and Kirby will fight it out for the substitute job.

Manager Hugh Jennings of the Tigers is taking only 12 players South this spring. This party will include 12 pitchers, eight infielders, six outfielders and five catchers.

A player named Harold Warren has written Manager Carrigan of the Red Sox for a tryout. Warren is a modest chap, clean-shaven, and says he is a good player. He is a good player and says he is a good player.

Joe Wood, Ty Cobb, and Sherry Magee combined. If he is all he says he is, he is a valuable to the Browns or Cardinals.

Jim Gaffney, owner of the Braves, will introduce a resolution at the next National League meeting barring the Federal League. Gaffney says the early contests take the edge off the regular openings. Gaffney is opposed to post-season games.

Landis to Give Trust Decision This Week

A DECISION in the Federal League's suit against Organized Baseball, which it was alleged, operates in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, will be handed down not later than next Saturday, says an entire baseball judge, Landis, before whom the case has been made, this announcement yesterday.

Landis Murphy, outfielder for the Athletics, was caught off base last night.

Brandt Outfights Sosberg Men Immediately Rematched Big crowd Cheers Both Contestants

Bantamweights Furnish the Best Exhibition Seen at the Future City Club This Season, With Dutchman's Speed More Than Outmatching Rival's Punch.

By Harry S. Sharpe.

CHARLES ("Dutch") Brandt and Johnny Sosberg, bantamweight boxers of Brooklyn, N. Y., gave royal entertainment at the Future City Athletic Club last night. The boys boxed to a capacity house, and some 200 members, many of whom had secured their tickets in advance, were denied admission after Chief Deputy Fredericks of the Building Commissioner's department ordered the doors closed to further entry.

Brandt was the winner, chiefly because he is a faster performer and a more versatile boxer, while Sosberg depended largely upon his superior punching ability. Both are clever; but Sosberg is a straight puncher and has a set style. This is good, but he was not fast enough with it against his speedy opponent.

Brandt, on the other hand, danced in and out, and shot left jabs, though comparatively light ones, to the face many times without a return, and by Sosberg's side was always willing, but he was not fast enough to catch the time to catch the fleet-footed Brandt or avoid the latter's swift jabs.

Sosberg has the snappier, harder punch, but Brandt's steady and rapid coupled with fast and clever footwork, made Sosberg miss at long range many times. Sosberg was always willing, but he was not fast enough to catch the time to catch the fleet-footed Brandt or avoid the latter's swift jabs.

Other instances in which Brandt appeared to be outgeneralized was when he allowed himself to be forced with his back against the ropes, with arms extended to either side, with Sosberg landing hard swings to his opponent's unprotected stomach. This happened several times, and Brandt seemed careless in this particular. Had he not quickly drawn in his stomach and set his abdominal muscles those blows would have done much damage. Because they were sent in by Sosberg with much force.

At all other times Brandt was master of the situation, boxing a winning battle. When he chose to keep Sosberg at long range and away from him, Brandt was a master. When he chose to engage in flight so fast that Sosberg had no time to counter nor set himself for a punch that didn't go wild.

Brandt was surprised, but he gathered himself and then again engaged in flight so fast that Sosberg had no time to counter nor set himself for a punch that didn't go wild.

Brandt, Slow to Begin, Improves as Bout Goes on, Both Commit Fouls

THIS was Brandt's style for several rounds, and then he began to mix it. This caused considerable holding by both, and some hitting while doing so. It was not intentional fouling, but a technical violation of the rules in the heat of battle. Both were quick to respond when told to let go.

Brandt, rather slow to start, appeared to gather speed and strength as the bout went on. He was quick to respond when told to let go.

Many times in these two rounds the little boxers stood head to head and fought for the body, but Brandt's blows were more effective because they were faster and in a major part of the bout he was quick to respond when told to let go.

Afterwards they were immediately rematched by President Tommy Sullivan for two weeks from last night, at the same weight, 118 pounds, ringside, and neither has trouble in making it. They did last night and appeared to be in perfect condition.

The semi-final, an eight-round bout at 155 pounds, between Tom Burke and Bud Clancy, furnished a surprise. It was probably not one-third of those in attendance supposed Clancy would last more than half a dozen rounds at the most, and in the beginning it certainly did not appear as if he would.

Burke won on points, but tried desperately hard to score a knockout. This he failed to do, though he succeeded in getting over on him. He was always coming back for more, and while doing so he landed a few hard punches on Burke that caused Burke to look a little shaky.

Clancy had an advantage in height and reach, but he was slow in taking advantage of it. He was slow in taking advantage of it. He was slow in taking advantage of it.

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EIGHT PLAYERS TO COMPLETE IN \$2000 3-CUSHION EVENT

Entrance Fee of \$250 Asked of Each Eligible in National Tournament.

FIVE ALREADY IN LINE

Three Other Entrants to Be Decided by Elimination Tryouts.

That three-cushion billiards as a separate and distinct style of play has at last forced itself on the recognition of the big business community, which controls the championship and of the sport, is evident from the fact that this organization is, for the first time in its existence, fostering a tournament which will decide the national championship.

This concern, sometimes alluded to as the "billiard trust," it was learned there on this morning, has practically concluded arrangements for a national three-cushion championship event to be held in Chicago, because of that city's central location. The official announcement of the conditions of the tournament has not yet been made, but in a few days they will be made known.

The contest will begin in March and will start with three elimination tournaments to take place in San Francisco, Chicago and New York. The winners of these three events will be eligible to compete in the national tournament, together with five other players who have been conspicuous in the past as holders of the Lambert diamond trophy. These five are Alfredo De Oro of Havana, Cuba; John Horgan of Elmira, N. Y.; Tommy Hueston of Hot Springs, Ark.; John Daly of New York and Joe Carney of San Francisco.

Each of these players has won the Lambert trophy at least once, and thereby has won recognition as belonging to the championship class. They will not be required to play in the elimination events.

In addition to the first event of the kind fostered by the "trust," the tournament will be the most important one ever held in the country. It will be added the gate receipts, less expenses. Second, third and fourth prizes will also be awarded. The winner's share proved to be about \$2000.

Only one national three-cushion tournament has heretofore been played. That was inaugurated when Jordan Lambert, the well-known St. Louis clubman and billiard amateur, offered the \$1000 trophy in connection with the tournament of the originators here in 1906. This was conducted entirely on a private basis, the "trust" having nothing whatever to do with it. The tournament required an entry fee of \$50 and the winner's share proved to be about \$2000.

For a long time the "trust" has undertaken to direct billiard affairs and which pays salaries to all the quets of the game. The "trust" has refused to recognize the legitimacy of this championship. In fact, it was some time before it could be made to recognize that "three-cushions" was distinct and separate from the "billiard" game, worthy of being dignified by a championship title of its own.

John Horgan was not deemed of sufficient importance to list among the number of players who have won salaries from the "trust" as champion players.

The organization, however, some two years ago, took over the handling of Lambert trophy matches, thereby lending its official sanction to the "trust" game.

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PIERSON 4052—Furnished 3 bedrooms, steam heat, janitor service; furnished with bath and reception hall. Phone 463-3611.

PIERSON 4055—Attractive, complete homekeeping suites; gas ranges, linens, heat, etc. Call 442-1111.

WV 5715—Two and three room furnished apartments; steam heat, hot water and up; front room. \$35.

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WASHINGTON BL. 4217-10-room house fully furnished; rent \$3 rooms, kitchen & floor, separate.

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ARTMENT Wtd.-Unfurnished: 4 room reasonable; no children; modern. Box 1896, Seattle, Wash. Post-Dispatch.

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RENTED PLAT Wtd.-Or cottage, preferably in West End, not over \$35 per month suitable for few roomers; Central Hill, Seattle, Wash. Post-Dispatch.

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DAMS, \$226½—4-room lower flat, central heat; water in kitchen; reduced rent month; keep upstairs.

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GREEN, 1410 (Wellston)—Two room detached front housekeeping, \$2.50 w/o utilities.

TO LET—BUSINESS PURPOSES

MISCELLANEOUS

LIFTING LOFT—For rent or lease, \$8.00 per sq. ft. floor space; suitable for any purpose; apply L-15, Port-Diamond City Office.

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BKROOM—\$6 up, according to space, 411
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BRNHOUSE—New on track, 215 S. Levee
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BAR and reception room; modern; good location. (14)

GARAGES AND STABLES

RENT—4520—Large stable, \$115 a month. (14)

RENT—To rent, for automobile truck, \$15 a month. (14)

RENT—Lucas av.; 3107 per month. (14)

RENT—A. Langin, Bonmont 300, Central 50. (14)

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MOBILE WID.—Exchange, my equity
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29,322, near cars, subject to \$1600.
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WID—To exchange, elegant suburban
hot-water heat; want flat; will ac-
cept Chestnut st., room 219.
For sale or exchange, 169 cars
and trucks, all makes, River Val-
ley \$3500; clear for clear Jewel
st. (RS)

WATER PROPERTY WID.—To exchange apartment, located 3823 Shaw ave. for suburban property. 2019 Big Bend Blvd.

ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

STOCK SHOW A BEARISH DRIFT
Prices Close Lower After Steady Opening—Traders Watch Break in Wheat.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—The Evening Post, in its copyrighted financial review today, says:

"Attention was divided today in financial circles between the wild movement of wheat prices and the rapid decline in foreign exchange. The extreme volatility of the wheat market was particularly noticeable, as the price of wheat advanced from 10 1/2 to 11 1/2 cents a bushel in the early part of the day, and then fell to 10 1/2 cents by the close. The decline in foreign exchange was also sharp, with the dollar falling from 194 to 192 cents of the pound sterling. The market for wheat was particularly active, with a large volume of trading in the futures market. The price of wheat was influenced by a combination of factors, including the weather in the producing regions and the demand for wheat in the United States. The decline in foreign exchange was attributed to a combination of factors, including the war in Europe and the uncertainty surrounding the future of the dollar. The market for wheat was particularly active, with a large volume of trading in the futures market. The price of wheat was influenced by a combination of factors, including the weather in the producing regions and the demand for wheat in the United States. The decline in foreign exchange was attributed to a combination of factors, including the war in Europe and the uncertainty surrounding the future of the dollar.

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ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

STOCKS ARE STEADY ON HOME MARKET
Commerce Sells 1 Point Higher \$105.50; Railway Issues Quiet.

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Today: \$1,241,941; \$1,741,130.
Last week: \$1,240,000; \$1,740,000.
Increase: \$1,941; \$1,390.

There was only a fair trade in local securities today. Prices were about steady for the most part. The National Bank of Commerce sold 1/4 point higher on trades at \$105 and \$106.50. Other bank and trust shares were nominally steady. The United Railways issues were not traded in, but all issues were offered at unchanged figures without a bid. Granite-Bimetall Mining was firm at 4 1/4 cents and offers at 4 cents. Bonds were steady on the issues quoted.

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Am. Copper	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Am. Nickel	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Am. Tin	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Am. Iron	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Am. Coal	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Am. Oil	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Am. Gas	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Am. Electric	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Am. Telephone	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Am. Water	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Am. Power	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Am. Transport	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Am. Marine	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Am. Air	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Am. Space	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Am. Time	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Am. Money	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
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Am. Religion	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
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The Jarr Family

By ROY L. McCARDELL.

Mr. Jarr Journeys to the Far Land of Bad-on-Account-of-Others.

"YOU mustn't be sore at me, Mr. Jarr," mumbled Fritz, the shipping clerk, as he followed that gentleman out into the street from his domicile, while Mrs. Jarr and Gertrude, the light running domestic, watched them from the front windows. "You mustn't be sore on me. I had to come and getcha because me wife made me."

"And I'm going along with you because my wife makes me," growled Mr. Jarr. "What have I got to do with other people's love affairs? Why should I be out on the trail of trouble just because Fatima, your fat sister, has a morbid affection for Dinkston, the poet, and has taken to her unfolded folding bed and won't get up till she hears news of him? She knows Dinkston is a bum, don't she?"

"Sure," replied Fritz. "There's little old Malaohi Hogan, who has boarded with us for 10 years. He's got a good job as night watchman at the brewery near our house, has got money in the savings bank, owns building lots—he's crazy about her, and she won't look at him. She says she and this Dinkston—Dinkston? Oh, very well—is soul mates and that a woman's love can reform him."

"But that's the way with the women. I came nearly getting thrown down by my Sadie because I was a steady guy. Only I started to hit the booze (when she trun me down for Gargan, the truck driver, because he was a runny), she would have never married me."

"They went into Gus' place on the corner by the side door, and Gus received their inquiries for Dinkston with scorn. 'It's a trade I don't cater to,' Gus declared. 'Me? In my liquor store comes only a first-class trade of business men. That fellow Dinkston swung me for nearly \$4 when I first knew him because I thought he was a poultry dealer, which is a regular business. And then I find out he is a gadabout. Do you know what a gadabout is? Well, it's a fellow who comes in and writes for a shoemaker.'

Here is a man who won't refuse to make or mend your boots or shoes. His work is good, his prices just. But times is hard, he cannot trust."

"I never knewed it was poetry and not poultry business he was in until Dinkston wrote me a gedicht for my Lena, which was no good. But it's all I got to show for them four dollars. Here it is." And Gus brought out a crumpled piece of paper from the drawer he kept his corks in, on which was pencilled:

"Dear, bless our wives. They fill our lives with little bees and honey. They smooth life's shocks, they mend our socks. But how they spend our money. 'My Lena threw it in my face because she thought I told Dinkston she had the hives and wouldn't mend my socks unless I gave her money for a new dress,' added Gus, ruefully. "Well, I've done my best to find him," said Mr. Jarr.

"But, Mr. Jarr," pleaded Fritz. "If you only knew how things was at my house. There's me sister in the folding bed in the back parlor bawling about that guy Dinkston, and she's heins down, we can't get from the front of the flat to the back without hopping across the foot of the bed. And my wife and Fatima, they don't get along well, anyhow. And I only get panned by all hands. You know how it is with families and your relations? Your wife never likes your people unless they've got money, and when they've got money they don't like your wife. And so my wife, Sadie, says to me I was to bring you back if I couldn't find this Dinkston—Dinkston—and if you wouldn't come I was to tell your wife somethin about how you behaved at the ball of the Human Uniques to get you in bad at home, and if that didn't do any good Sadie, my wife, is going to pour kerosene over me sister and set a match."

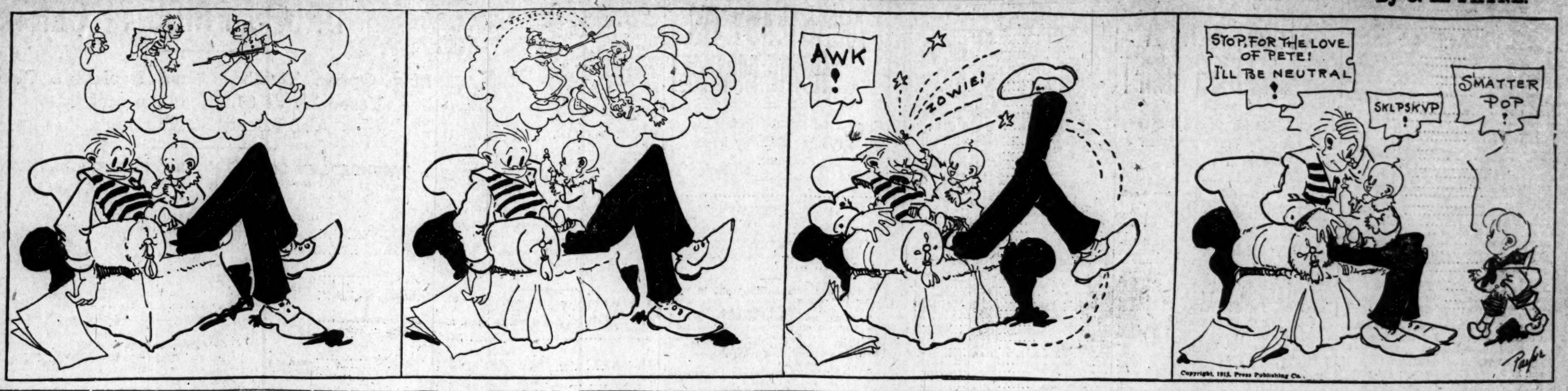
"They had arrived at the doorstep of Mr. Jarr's flat at this point and Fritz, making a megaphone of his hands, belovved up to Mrs. Jarr at the front window. "Can't Mr. Jarr come to my house and coax me sister to get-up before she commits suicide?"

And Mrs. Jarr, because it was a romance and otherwise Fatima might die of unrequited affection for the recalcitrant Dinkston, called down: "Certainly Mr. Jarr will go with you." And once more Mr. Jarr crossed the Hudson to the land of "In-Bad-on-Account-of-Others."

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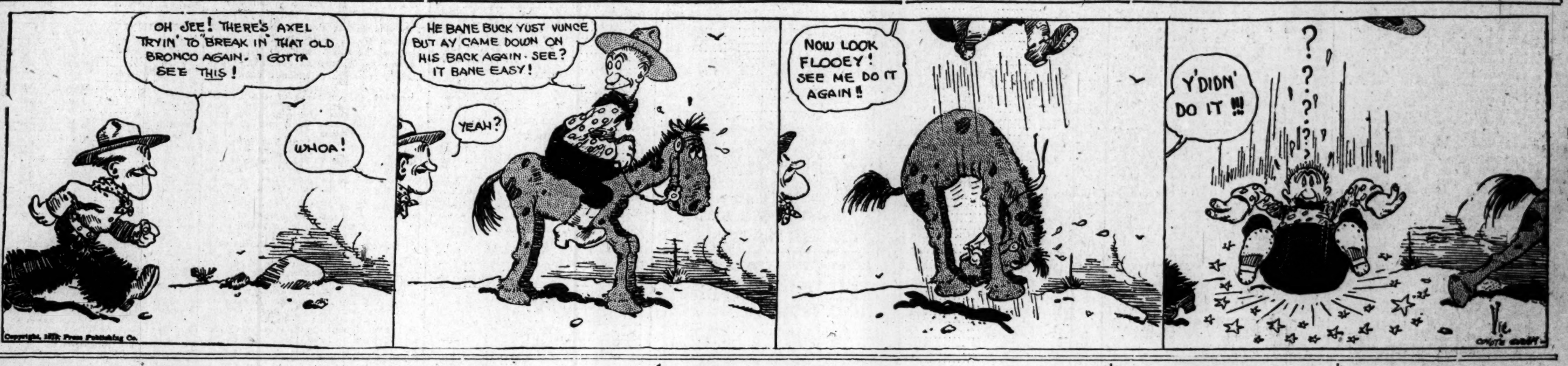
Pop's Dream Winds Up Like a Nightmare!

Drawn for the Post-Dispatch By C. M. PAYNE.



Flooey Watches Axel Do It Again, and Then Some!

Drawn for the Post-Dispatch By VIC.



Slogans of Success

By Hazen Conklin.

THE road from BAD to WORSE is a down-grade, on which there is some amazingly swift coasting.

MEN, like automobiles, to a great extent are judged by their hill-climbing ability.

LIFE'S a long race. Save your wind.

THE best way to get "results" is to go after them—not wait for them.

TRUTH is like a fence, it can be painted on both sides, but the fact remains.

LIFE is like a sea. You have to be a good swimmer to stay on top.

WELL begun is half done. But don't forget it's also half UNdone!

She Kept Them.

A LONG-DRAWN-OUT, agonizing scream rang out from the nursery. Mother rushed upstairs to the scene of the tragedy with vivid thoughts of burnt children buzzing through her brain. She heaved a sigh of relief when she discovered nothing more exciting than her eldest boy endeavoring to take all his marbles away from his baby sister. "Don't be so selfish," she admonished. "Let baby play with some marbles as well."

"But she wants to keep 'em," said her boy.

"I'm sure she doesn't," returned the mother. "Whatever makes you think that?"

"Boo-hoo," howled the boy. "I know she does; she's swallowed three already."

One-Sided Confab.

THE best known monologue in the conversation taking place between wife and husband.

Knocking the Doctors.

THERE is an official in Washington who likes nothing better than a fling at the medical profession. He was afforded an opportunity not long ago at a public dinner to chaff the medics, and he did so in this wise:

"Physicians may be divided into two classes—the radicals, who kill you, and the conservatives, who let you die."

Counting the Cost.

DID the income tax hit you hard? "I should say so," replied Mr. Dustin Stax. "I had to pay the Government as much as it cost me to get two expert accountants and an attorney to fix up my account for me."—Washington Star.

Perfectly Tame.

"Wombat used to be a great outdoor man and all-around sport. In he recoiled to married life!"

"I think so. I called on him recently and found him sitting ashes with an old tennis racket."

Indeed He Had.

"Have you ever thought seriously of marriage, sir?" "Indeed I have; even since the ceremony."—Boston Transcript.

A Demand From Cover.



Customer—"I asked you for Madame de Larue's face cream and I don't wish any substitute. The manager of this department, Mr. Stubbs, is a personal friend of mine."

The Other Clerk—"That's one of those veiled threats, Gert!"

True!

THE man who tells us of our faults is our best friend," quoth the philosopher.

"Yes; but he won't be long," added the mere man.—Judge.

Friend: This is a nice studio you have. Is the rent high?

Artist: I don't remember.

Mighty Hard.

First Shopper: It's so hard to find just what you want.

Second Shopper: Yes, especially when you don't know what it is.

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"Great Heavens! Do you mean it?" exclaimed his friend.

"Surest thing you know. She hangs cheesecloth over the gasoline exhaust and packs away her furs in it to keep the moths out during the summer."

The Mote and the Beam.

AN American traveler relates the following:

"Once I dined with an English farmer. We had ham—very delicious ham, and the farmer's son soon finished his portion and passed his plate again."

"More 'am, father," he said.

"The father frowned. 'Don't say 'am, son, say 'am.'"

"I did say 'am,' the son protested in an injured tone.

"You said 'am,' cried the father fiercely.

"Am's what it should be, not 'am.'"

"In the middle of the squabble the farmer's wife turned to me, and, with a deprecatory little laugh, explained: 'They both 'think they're sayin' 'am, sir.'—Mothers' Magazine.

Exact Location.

DID you strike this man in an excess of irascibility?"

"No sah; I done hit him in the stum-mick."—Baltimore American.

Safety First.

IN a certain village down South there was a physician noted for his reckless automobile driving. One day when he answered the telephone a woman's voice asked him if he were going out driving that afternoon.

"No; I hardly think I will have time this afternoon," replied the doctor. "But why do you ask?"

"Well," replied his anonymous questioner, "I want to send my little daughter downtown for some thread, if you are not."

Cheerful.

WHAT a cheerful woman Mrs. Smiley is! "Isn't she? Why, do you know, that woman can have a good time thinking what a good time she would have if she were having it."

Scant Attendance.

DEACON (anxiously): I wish that our young minister weren't obliged to preach to such a small congregation.

Bewitching Widow: So do I. Every time he said dearly beloved this morning I felt as if I had received a proposal.

Personal Liberty.

VISITOR: Which of those hotels is the better?

Town Guide: Wal, one of 'em has all rooms with baths and the other believes in personal liberty—you can have a bath or not, just as you like.

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